

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SURFACE TRANSPORT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1655
ANSWERED ON:06.03.2000
BRIDGES BLOWN UP IN JAMMU AND KASHMIR
PRAKASH YASHWANT AMBEDKAR

Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the number of bridges on National Highways blown-up either by the terrorist group or others in Jammu and Kashmir during the last three years;
- (b) whether these are being rebuilt;
- (c) if so, the details in this regard; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT
(DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) Two bridges on National Highways in Jammu & Kashmir were blown -up during the last three years.

(b) & (c) Damaged bridges have since been repaired, details of which are given below:

NH No.	Location (Rs. in lacs)	Date when Blown up	Approx. cost of repairs
1A			
Km. 20	on Srinagar -Baramulla-Uri Section of NH-1A	5.11.98	2.17
1B			
Kms140.40	Kishtwar- Sinthan Pass Section of NH-1B	23.10.99	2.15

(d) Does not arise.