

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:945
ANSWERED ON:29.11.2005
REPAIRING OF NH NO. 53
Suklabaidya Shri Lalit Mohan

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether a 4 KM. stretch on NH-53 between Badarpurghat and Dhaleshwar is in severely bad and dilapidated condition and no repairing work has been undertaken since long;
- (b) if so, whether the Border Roads Organization has fixed up any deadline to complete the repair work expeditiously; and
- (c) if so, the timeframe and details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) to (c) : The stretch of NH-53 from Badarpurghat (Km 28.46) to Dhaleswar (Km 25.15) has been damaged due to the rain/flood. The intensive immediate repair works has been carried out by the Border Roads Organisation to make road trafficable. The further work of restoration has been sanctioned for an amount of Rs.2.52 crore. The restoration works are targeted for completion by May 2006.