

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION
LOK SABHA**

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ROAD MAP IN NEC
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Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the North-Eastern Council has drawn up a Road Map for the development of the region in Agriculture & Allied sector, Power Development, Water Development, Medical & Health, Manpower Development, Industries Sector, Tourism, Transport & Communication Sector, Trade & Commerce and Science & Technology etc.;

(b) if so, whether the same has been finalised and approved; and

(c) if not, the time by which it is likely to be finalised?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): Before follow-up action could be taken, the NEC was upgraded as a Regional Planning Body for NER and action was initiated for preparation of Vision NER-2020 for the balanced development of the region. Broad based consultations have been held and the draft document is currently under preparation in the NEC. The draft Vision NER: 2020 document will be considered by the North Eastern Council before it is finalised.