

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

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NATIONAL HIGHWAYS SECURITY FORCE  
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**Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is considering to set up National Highways Security Force (NHSF) as reported in the `Economic Times` dated March 08, 2007;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the role of National Highways Security Force will be different from that of the Regional Transport Offices (RTOs);
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to ensure efficient functioning of NHSF?

**Answer**

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

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) to (e) Do not arise.