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

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

(a) whether the development of National Highways in the country is in consonance with the existing Policy;

(b) if so, the details thereof mentioning inter alia the names of the stretches of NHs and the States where such development are not as per the revised programme; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

## Answer

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

(a) to (c) The development of National Highways (NHs) is a continuous process. Works are taken up according to the Annual Plan programme for sanction of development works prepared on the basis of traffic density, condition of roads, inter-se priority and availability of funds. The revisions of Annual Plans are also taken up from time to time depending upon the requirements. The Government reviews and monitors the progress of the sanctioned projects at various levels and takes necessary corrective actions on a continuous basis with a view to complete the projects in a time bound manner.