

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:786

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COLLABORATION WITH MALAYSIA IN ROAD SECTOR

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

(a) whether the Government has held talks with Malaysia to enhance collaboration in the road sector and also proposes to set up a Committee for furthering the proposed new projects in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH)

(a) & (b): On behalf of the Malaysian Government and Ministry of Works Malaysia, the Construction Industry Development Board, Malaysia (CIDB) have expressed their interest to collaborate on highway related projects on a Government to Government (G TO G) basis with the Indian Government. In this regard, a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is proposed to be entered between Government of Malaysia and Government of India.