GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:70 ANSWERED ON:02.03.2010 FOUR LANING PROJECTS Rajaram Shri Wakchaure Bhausaheb

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

- (a) the details of the total length of four lane National Highways (NH) network presently in the country, NH-wise and State-wise;
- (b) whether the targets fixed for four laning of the NHs in the country have been achieved;
- (c) if so, the details thereof alongwith the targets fixed in this regard and the achievement during each of the last three years, NH-wise and State-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to levy toll tax on all four lane NHs in the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof alongwith the names of States where toll tax is already being levied on four laned NHs and the details of the private companies permitted to levy toll tax thereon, National Highwaywise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI KAMAL NATH)

- (a) State-wise and National Highway-wise length of four-lane Highways in the country is enclosed as Annex I.
- (b) & (c) No, Sir. State-wise and National Highway-wise length of four-lane completed during the last three years is enclosed as Annex II.
- (d) & (e) Yes, Sir. The State wise four-lane section under tolling is enclosed as Annex III. The detail of stretches under tolling by Build, Operate and Transfer (BOT) Concessionaires is enclosed as Annex IV.