

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

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ENVIRONMENT FRIENDLY MULTI MODEL SYSTEM  
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**Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is alive to the need of adoption of environment friendly multi-model system of transport in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken thereon;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to develop dedicated corridors for pedestrians and cyclists across Delhi as part of the infrastructure development plan for Commonwealth Games; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI MAHADEO SINGH KHANDELA)

(a)&(b) Multi-modal system of transport involves transportation by all modes comprising. shipping, inland waterways, civil aviation, railways and road transport. So far as road transport is concerned, the Government has taken steps to promote environment friendly transport system which include allowing use of environment friendly fuels such as CNG/ LPG, allowing battery operated vehicles, notifying stricter emission norms for motor vehicles etc.

(c)&(d) Development of dedicated corridors for pedestrians and cycles across Delhi is primarily the responsibility of the Government of NCT of Delhi. This Ministry is concerned with matters relating to construction, maintenance of National Highways. Footpath and cycle track do exist on certain stretches of National Highways connecting Delhi.