## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3906 ANSWERED ON:20.04.2010 SETTING UP OF NATIONAL EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY OF INDIA Agarwal Shri Rajendra

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

- (a) whether the Government is planning/has constituted the National Expressway Authority of India (NEAI);
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the objectives/responsibilities of the proposed NEAI; and
- (c) if not, the estimated timeframe by which the same would be constituted?

## **Answer**

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

- (a) to (b) The Eleventh Five Year Plan document inter alia, envisages setting up of an Expressway Authority of India to formulate and implement a master Plan for 15600 kms of high density access-controlled expressways.
- (c) The Expressway network plan is at the initial stage of planning and the time frame for constituting the Authority is linked to firming up the plan for development of the Expressway network.