GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5125 ANSWERED ON:27.04.2010 EXPENDITURE ON NH-12 Singh Shri Dushyant

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

(a) the total expenditure incurred on the maintenance of National Highway No. 12 during the last two years, year-wise;

(b) the agencies responsible for the maintenance of this highway;

(c) whether any survey has been conducted to monitor the condition of various National Highways;

(d) if so, whether any defects were noticed or complaints received regarding National Highway No.12; and

(e) if so, the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) Funds under Maintenance are allocated state wise and not National Highway wise. However expenditure incurred for Strengthening, Improvement of Riding Quality, Periodical Renewals and Ordinary Repairs on this NH during the last two years is as follows:

Year 2008-09 - Rs. 36.70 Crore

Year 2009-10 - Rs. 41.32 Crore

(b) NH-12 is being maintained by National Highway Authority of India, PWD, Rajasthan and PWD, Madhya Pradesh

(c) Survey and monitoring of the conditions of various National Highways including NH-12 is done on a regular basis or as required.

(d) No specific complaint has been received.

(e) Does not arise.