

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

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

- (a) whether the Delhi-Uttar Pradesh National Highway stretch between Apsara Border and Mohan Nagar in Ghaziabad, has been encroached upon by the Transport Operators;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the trucks occupying two lanes on either sides on the National Highway are the main cause of traffic jam and accidents on the said stretch;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether any action has been taken by the Government to remove such encroachments; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (e) Apsara Border - Mohan Nagar road is not a National Highway. Transport Nagar is situated in the above stretch where offices of transport operators are situated on either side of the road. Vehicles such as trucks, trailers etc. involved in transport business, do make halts on the road due to which temporary hindrance is caused to the traffic on the road during peak hours. To ensure smooth flow of the traffic, local traffic Police takes suitable measures as and when required by removing vehicles making halt on the road near Transport Nagar.