

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1451  
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HIGHWAY PROJECTS IN JHARKHAND  
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**Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the length of roads and National Highways in kilometers constructed/ converted into four and eight lane during the last three years and the current year in Jharkhand State as on date;
- (b) the number of roads project of NHA under implementation in Jharkhand State as on date, the status of implementation, projects running behind schedule alongwith the reasons therefor and time of completion of these projects; and
- (c) the funds allocated for construction, conversion and maintenance of roads, NHs for State alongwith the funds released and expenditure incurred during the last three years and the current year?

**Answer**

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

- (a): This Ministry is primarily responsible for development & maintenance of National Highways in the country. The development & maintenance of other roads in the State is the responsibility of the respective State Government. 192 km length of National Highways has been converted to four lanes in Jharkhand during the last three years and the current year.
- (b): The details of National Highways Projects under implementation by NHA in Jharkhand along with their status are Annexed.
- (c): The details of allocation and expenditure for the development and maintenance of National Highways entrusted with State RCD, Jharkhand during last three years and current year are as under:-

Sl.No.	Year	Development of National Highways		Maintenance & Repairs of National Highways	
		Allocation	Expenditure	Allocation	Expenditure
		(Rs. in Crore)	(Rs. in Crore)	(Rs. in Crore)	(Rs. in Crore)

1	2007-2008	57.25	57.25	27.82	23.38
2	2008-2009	99.00	96.56	20.38	18.56
3	2009-2010	120.00	118.00	28.97	17.51
4	2010-2011	93.00	31.00	21.30	10.92
		(as on 31-07-2010)		(as on 31-07-2010)	