

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3362
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CONDITION OF KEDARNATH ROAD
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the road leading to the Kedarnath shrine is in a dilapidated condition; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps being taken to provide road connectivity similar to that of the Badrinath shrine?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): The road between Rudraprayag to Gauri Kund, National Highway No. 109 having a length of 75.3 km is in good trafficable condition and improvement of works from single lane to double lane is in progress. The stretch beyond Gourikund up to Kedarnath (14 km) is foot/ mule track and is being maintained by State Government and is not a part of National Highway.