

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

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

- (a) the details of dilapidated roads/overbridges across various rivers in the country, State-wise, river-wise and location-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has received proposals for repair/construction of new roads/ overbridges across various rivers in the country including Ganga and Kosi in U.P.; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof, and the action taken by the Government on pending projects, State-wise, NH-wise, location-wise and river-wise during the above period?

Answer

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

(a)to(c): Road bridges on National Highways across various rivers in the country are in traffic worthy condition. However, there are some road bridges which require repair / rehabilitation. The details of proposals received for repair / rehabilitation of such road bridges is at Annexure I. Proposals for construction of new bridges across various rivers in the country which are under consideration is at Annexure II. The repair / construction of road bridges is a continuous process and is undertaken every year as per availability of funds and inter-se priority.