

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1241
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CONSTRUCTION OF NH AND BRIDGES
Chitthan Shri N.S.V.

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

- (a) whether a number of proposals regarding construction of National Highways and Bridges are pending with the Union Government for clearance;
- (b) if so, the total number of such proposals received from the Government of Tamil Nadu;
- (c) the time since when such proposals are pending for clearance;
- (d) whether Government has sanctioned adequate funds for this purpose; and
- (e) 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): Yes, Sir. Some proposals regarding construction of National Highways and Bridges have been received from various State Governments. State Government of Tamil Nadu has forwarded 11 numbers of proposals for construction of National Highways and Bridges included in Annual Plan 2010-11 during this financial year as on 30-09-2010. The proposals received from State Governments are sanctioned based on their inclusion in Annual Plan, fulfilling the technical requirements as per Ministry's standard guidelines / circulars, inter-se priority and availability of funds. A tentative allocation of Rs 89.33 crore has been made for the State of Tamil Nadu for development of National Highways during the financial year 2010-11.