

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5127
ANSWERED ON:05.09.2011
ROAD ACCIDENTS ON NH-7 AND NH-75
Singh Shri Ganesh

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken note of the number of people killed in road accidents on national highway number 75 passing through Satna city and on national highway number 7 in the past recent time;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken by the Government in this regard;
- (c) whether any suggestions have been received with regard to checking road accidents in the country;
- (d) if so, the response of the Government thereto;
- (e) whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Government for widening of narrow single road on National Highway No. 75, passing through Satna and construction of bridges over there; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS (DR. TUSHAR A. CHAUDHARY)

- (a) & (b) As per available information, a total number of 135 accidents were reported on NH No. 75 passing through Satna City, during the period January to July, 2011, out of which 20 were fatal accidents. Proposals for improvement of NH-75 and NH-7 passing through Satna City have been approved by Public Private Partnership Appraisal Committee (PPPAC) for implementation under National Highway Development Project(NHDP). It includes a bypass to Satna City.
- (c) & (d) The Ministry receives suggestions from various organisations, NGOs and individuals, including Hon'ble Members of Parliament, Members of Consultative Committee attached to the Ministry and the members of the National Road Safety Council (NRSC) etc. from time to time regarding measures to reduce road accidents in the country. Consideration of such suggestions is a continuous process in the Ministry. Wherever necessary, suitable action is taken to implement the suggestions.
- (e) and (f) A Public Private Partnership Appraisal Committee (PPPAC) proposal for development of Satna-Bela section of NH-75 to four lane on Public Private Partnership (PPP) following Design, Build, Finance, Operate and Transfer (DBFOT) has been received from Government of Madhya Pradesh. The proposal has been cleared by PPPAC on 10.08.2011.