

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2933  
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DECLARATION OF STATE HIGHWAY AS NATIONAL HIGHWAY  
Jawale Shri Haribhau Madhav

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

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Government of Maharashtra to declare State Highway-4 (Ankaleshwar-Burhanpur) as National Highway;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the said proposal is likely to be approved?

**Answer**

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

(a)to(c) Yes, Madam. The State Government of Maharashtra has forwarded the proposal to declare State Highway-4 (Ankaleshwar-Burhanpur) as National Highway. Expansion of National Highway network is a continuous process and declaration of new National Highway is taken up from time to time depending upon requirement of connectivity, inter-se priority and availability of funds.