GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:737 ANSWERED ON:19.03.2012 ROAD ACCIDENT VICTIMS Sudhakaran Shri K.

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

(a) whether the Government has decided to set up a body in all the States to provide first aid to victims of road accidents;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Union Government has advised all the States to identify and report 25 places in each State which are accident prone;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the details of places/roads identified and reported as accident prone area in the State of Kerala?

Answer

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

(a) &(b) No, Sir.

(c)&(d) In the meeting held on the 13th January 2012 with Principal Secretaries (Transport)/Transport Commissioners and Additional Director Generals(ADGs) of Traffic of 13 States with the highest rate of accidents and fatalities in the country (that account for 90% accidents and fatalities in the country), they were requested to identify black spots and highlight the most serious ones alongwith the reasons for frequent accidents in those places for treatment.

(e) The details of places/roads identified and reported as accident prone area in the State of Kerala is at Annexure.