GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:712 ANSWERED ON:19.03.2012 UPGRADATION OF NHS Yadav Shri Madhusudan

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

(a) whether there is any proposal to upgrade four NHs upto 177 kms. and four State highways upto 124 kms. in Chhattisgarh under Left Wing Extremism (LWE) scheme;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which funds are likely to be allocated under the said proposal?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a) & (b) The details of works sanctioned for development of roads in Chhattisgarh under the programme for development of roads in Left Wing Extremism (LWE) affected areas is given below:

Category of roads No. of works Length in kms Cost in Rs. crore

National Highways 6 237 434

State Roads 41 1710 2149

Total 47 1947 2583

(c) Funds to the tune of Rs. 175 crore were allocated during 2010-2011 and Rs. 275 crore have been allocated during 2011-2012 for the above development.