

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:396
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EXPRESSWAY BETWEEN DELHI AND JAIPUR
Singh Shri Dushyant

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

- (a) whether the proposal for constructing an Expressway between Delhi and Jaipur is pending;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken / proposed to be taken to allocate funds and start the construction work on the expressway?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS(SHRI R.P.N. SINGH)

(a) to (c) Expressway facility from Delhi to Gurgaon is already in operation. A concession agreement for upgradation of Gurgaon-Jaipur section of NH-8 from existing four-lane to six-lane standard has already been signed during June, 2008, which will take care of the traffic volume for another 10-12 years. Presently, construction of a new expressway is not envisaged between Delhi and Jaipur.