

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1968
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AIR AMBULANCE SERVICE FOR ROAD ACCIDENT VICTIMS
Mahajan Smt. Sumitra

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to start air ambulance service for providing immediate relief/medical treatment to the persons getting injured/wounded in the accidents on various NHs of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise including in Indore city of Madhya Pradesh; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) The Ministry is giving priority to providing Basic Life Support Ambulances to State Governments for deployment at strategic places and Advanced Life Support Ambulances to trauma care centres being developed in Government Hospitals, Medical Institutions along Golden Quadrilateral, North- South and East-West corridors of National Highways.