

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6076
ANSWERED ON:14.05.2012
PONDING OF FLOOD WATER ALONG NH-60
Sethi Shri Arjun Charan

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

- (a) whether the government has taken note of ponding of flood water along NH-60 due to inadequate waterway/drainage path on the said highway;
- (b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Government of Odisha for providing ventages basing on the opinion of experts; and
- (d) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

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

- (a) Yes Madam.
- (b) M/s Water and Power Consultancy Services (India) Limited (WAPCOS) was engaged to study the adequacy of waterways on National Highway (NH) - 60.
- (c) Yes Madam.
- (d) The project for providing additional waterways/ventage has been awarded on Build-Operate- Transfer (BOT) Toll and Concession Agreement has been signed.