

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

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

- (a) whether frequent accidents are taking place on National Highway (NH)-9 passing through Andhra Pradesh particularly in Nalgonda area;
- (b) if so, the number of accidents reported on the said NH during each of the last three years along with the compensation paid to the road accident victims; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Government to widen NH-9?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) Details are at Annexe 'A'.

(c) Out of total length of about 456 km of NH-9 in Andhra Pradesh, about 315 km is already four laned and four laning in 7 km is expected to be completed by October, 2012. The work has been awarded under NHDP in the balance length of about 134 km.