

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3513
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FOUR LANING OF NH IN ANDHRA PRADESH
Jeyadural Shri S. R.

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

- (a) whether the Government has received representations on various problems related to the proposed six-laning of the National Highway between Gundugolanu and Rajahmundry in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Road Safety Forum has raised issues which are equally applicable to all States in the matter of six-laning of National Highways; and
- (d) if so, the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to address the issues raised by Road Safety Forum?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) Yes, Madam. A representation regarding no requirement of service road from Km.912 to Km.914 from the local public of Bommuru village and another representation regarding Land Acquisition from local public residing at Morampudi Junction are received.
- (c) A reference from Road Safety Forum has been received demanding review of survey done on traffic raising doubts regarding need for taking up of 6 laning of National Highway between Rajahmundry and Gundugolanu in the State of Andhra Pradesh.
- (d) The projects for capacity augmentation are approved by Govt. after going through the laid down process of appraisal duly taking into account the traffic requirements.