

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3647

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PRADHAN MANTRI BHARAT JODO PARIYOJANA

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

- (a) whether the Government has started a programme `Pradhan Mantri Bharat Jodo Pariyojana` for modernisation/fourlaning of roads/National Highways in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the proposals received by the Union Government from various State Governments in this regard during each of the last three years and the current year under the scheme, State-wise and NH-wise;
- (c) the details of the targets fixed by the Government under the said programme and achievements made so far, along with the expenditure incurred thereon during the said period, State-wise;
- (d) whether the work under the programme is going at a slow pace;
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with reasons therefor; and
- (f) the steps taken by the Government to accelerate the pace of work under the said programme?

Answer

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

(a) No, Madam.

There is no programme at present namely `Pradhan Mantri Bharat Jodo Pariyojana` for modernisation/fourlaning of NHs in the country.

(b) to (f) Does not arise.