

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

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ALTERNATIVE TRANSPORTATION ROUTE  
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**Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government proposes to develop any alternative transportation route to reduce congestion on rail/road transport sector; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI SARVEY SATHYANARAYANA)

(a) to (b) No, Madam. However, the Government of India announced National Urban Transport Policy

(NUTP) in April, 2006 with the objective of ensuring easily accessible, safe, affordable, quick, comfortable, reliable and sustainable mobility for all. Accordingly, the Central Government is supporting various public transport projects such as Metro Rail, Bus Rapid Transport System and modern city bus services as per urban bus specifications in various cities to reduce congestion on rail/road transport sector.