

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

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DEVELOPMENT OF NH A
Das Shri Khagen

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

- (a) whether the National Highway (NH)-44A connects Mizoram with Tripura, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the development of the said NH on Mizoram side has been completed but the progress of work on Tripura side is very slow, if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to expedite completion of work on Tripura side along with the time by which it is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a) Yes Madam

(b)&(c) The development of the said NH on Mizoram and Tripura side is under progress. The development and maintenance of NH-44 A in Tripura has been taken in phased manner subject to availability of fund and inter-se-priority. The works on Tripura side is entrusted to Border Road Organisation (BRO) for development and maintenance. Ministry has setup a Project Monitoring Unit (PMU) at Agartala for expediting implementation of National Highway's projects in Tripura.