

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2927  
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NOTIFICATION OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS  
Ponnam Shri Prabhakar

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

- (a) whether the Union Government has received any proposal from the State Governments for notifying National Highways in their States;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise and project-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any action on these proposals;
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the funds released during the above period and if not, the reasons therefor, State-wise and project-wise; and
- (e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH)

- (a) & (b) Yes, Sir. The consolidated details of proposals received from the various State Governments for declaration of National Highway State-wise is at Annexure-I. Project-wise and year-wise details are not maintained.
- (c) to (e) A few proposals have been declared as new National Highways, the details are at Annexure-II. Extension of National Highway network is a continuous process and declaration of new National Highway is taken up from time to time depending upon requirement of connectivity, inter-se, priority and availability of funds.