

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

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INVESTMENT FROM CHINA ON NH
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the highway projects being constructed with foreign investment;
- (b) whether a number of investors from China have expressed concerns over investment in highway projects of India; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

- (a) The Government does not maintain any conclusive statistical data separately for foreign investment in road sector.
- (b) and (c) Foreign Direct Investment up to 100 % is allowed in road sector under the automatic route in construction and maintenance of highway projects offered on Build- Operate-Transfer basis including collection of Toll. To attract foreign investors international competitive bids are invited globally on the e-tendering platform.