## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

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

- (a) the present status of widening of national highways in various States, national highways-wise;
- (b) whether representations have been received from the States to decide on the construction of national highways with reference to the density of population of such States; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

## **Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI KRISHANPAL GURJAR)

- (a) The State / Union Territory-wise details of 2-lane National Highways in the country are annexed.
- (b) and (c) Expansion of NH network is a continuous process and declaration of new NH is taken from time to time depending upon requirement of connectivity, inter-se priority and availability of funds.