

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

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up an independent entity titled National Highway Connectivity Company Limited (NHCCL);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has identified 10,000 km. of road projects which can be implemented by NHCCL; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a) and (b) A new company namely National Highways & Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited has recently been incorporated by the Government for fostering regional connectivity exclusively dedicated for implementation of highway projects in parts of the country which share international boundaries with neighbouring countries on a sustainable basis.
- (c) and (d) Ministry of Road Transport & Highways will identify the projects to be implemented by the company on a case to case basis.