

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:780  
ANSWERED ON:27.11.2014  
ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR NHS  
Premachandran Shri N.K.

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

- (a) the criteria fixed for allocation of funds to the State Governments for development of national highways in the country;
- (b) whether the Government has conducted any study to assess that the funds allocated to the State Governments are sufficient for development of highways;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, and the funds allocated during the last three year State/UT-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to increase the share of Union Government for the development of National Highways; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the action taken thereon?

**Answer**

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

- (a) State/UT-wise allocation of funds for development of National Highways (NHs) are made keeping in view the requirement and availability of resources.
- (b) & (c) No madam. However, requirement of funds are reviewed from time to time to ensure that no work suffers for want of fund. The details of State/UT-wise allocation of funds for development of NHs for last three years are annexed.
- (d) & (e) The responsibility of development of NHs rests with the Central Government. All funds are provided by the Central Government.