# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-2337

ANSWERED ON 09.08.2023

### MODEL NATIONAL HIGHWAYS IN THE COUNTRY

2337 SHRI M. SHANMUGAM: SHRI VAIKO:

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

- (a) the details of Model National Highways including length in term of kilometers, number of stretches developed in the country, state wise;
- (b) the status of progress of these projects;
- (c) whether Government proposes to include other National Highways sectors in various States including Tamil Nadu to develop modern NHs; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

## **ANSWER**

# THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

### (SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) Sir, there is no scheme as Model National Highways.
- (b) Question Does not arise.
- (c) & (d) National Highways are developed as per Ministry's Standards for Roads and Bridges works and standards & Specifications laid down by Indian Road Congress. These standards cover various aspects of infrastructure development, such as road alignment, pavement design, safety features, drainage systems, materials and quality of construction. Following these standards ensure that the constructed highways meet quality and safety requirements set by the Ministry.

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