

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO - 2016
ANSWERED ON – 17/12/2025**

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION TARGETS

2016. SHRI YERRAM VENKATA SUBBA REDDY:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government has reduced 2025-26 highway construction target to 10,000 kms from 12,000 kms in 2024-25;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether reducing target delay in connecting key economic centres across the country;
- (d) whether the target of constructing 12,000 kms in 2024-25 has been achieved; and
- (e) if so, details of target set and achieved in the State of Andhra Pradesh?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (e) The Government in the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways has set construction target of 10,000 km for National Highways (NHs) projects for the current financial year 2025-26, considering the present progress of ongoing works and the projects which are to be taken up, subject to fulfilment of pre-construction activities. Construction target of 10,000 km for the current financial year 2025-26 is of the same range as of the previous financial year 2024-25, which was about 10,420 km, against which the achievement was 10,660 km.

The construction target for the State of Andhra Pradesh for the year 2024-25 was 793 km, against which achievement was 757 km.
