

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1882**  
ANSWERED ON 27<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2017

**EXPRESSWAY BETWEEN RAIPUR AND VISAKHAPATNAM**

1882. SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has committed to develop expressway between Raipur and Visakhapatnam;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any proposal has been received from Andhra Pradesh and Chhattisgarh in this regard, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the status of the expressway at present and the funds allocated for the same during the last three years?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) to (d) Raipur to Vishakhapatnam stretch has been identified for development/ up-gradation under Bharatmala Pariyojana. NHAI has awarded the work of preparation of DPR from Kurud to Andhra Pradesh/Odisha Border (Ondarangi) (local Roads, SH-30/49 and NH-26) stretch having length of 359 km. The work of DPR preparation has commenced on 06.06.2017.

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