

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1044
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TRAFFIC IN KERALA

1044. SHRI M K RAGHAVAN:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

सडक परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any study has been conducted in Kerala on the present density of traffic between Kasargod and Thiruvananthapuram, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the modalities and yardsticks adopted for conducting such a study;
- (c) whether the study has recommended for an elevated corridor between these two cities; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof including action plan proposed to construct an elevated highway along with details of financial and other aspects worked out in this regard?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

- (a) Yes Madam. In order to capture and assess the traffic characteristics, travel pattern, the following primary traffic surveys has been conducted between Kasaragode to Thiruvananthapuram:
 - Classified Traffic Volume Count surveys
 - Origin - Destination and Commodity Movement Surveys
 - Turning Movement Surveys
 - Speed & Delay Surveys
 - Wayside Amenities Surveys
 - Truck Parking survey
 - Pedestrian/Animal Count Surveys
- (b) The above traffic survey has been conducted in accordance with the relevant IRC guidelines.
- (c) & (d) No Madam. However as per the site conditions flyover/Elevated Highway /Grade separators has been proposed at Major Junctions where the Traffic Intensities are high.
