

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2542
ANSWERED ON 2nd August, 2018

NATIONAL ROAD SAFETY AND TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT BOARD

†2542. DR. BANSHILAL MAHATO:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has constituted a “National Road Safety and Traffic Management Board” to minimize the number of accidents and deaths on National Highways;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Union Government/ NHAI has utilised the funds allocated for road safety during the year 2017-18;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
(SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

(a) & (b) No, Madam. However, in the Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Bill, 2017 passed by Lok Sabha on 10th April, 2017 and presently in Rajya Sabha for consideration and passing inter-alia proposes insertion of a new section 215D which provides that the Central Government shall by notification in the Official Gazette constitute a National Road Safety Board consisting of a Chairman, such number of representatives from the State Governments and such other members as it may consider necessary and on such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Central Government.

(c) to (e) The status of fund utilisation allocated for road safety during the year 2017-18 is at Annexure -I.

ANNEXURE -I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) to (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2542 ANSWERED ON 02/08/2018 ASKED BY DR. BANSHILAL MAHATO.

STATEMENT INDICATING THE BE 2017-18 AND (RE-2017-18) EXPENDITURE AS 31.03.2018 IN RESPECT OF SCHEMES ADMINISTERED BY ROAD SAFETY (AMOUNT IN RS.CRORE)

Sl. No	Name of Scheme	BE 2017-18	RE 2017-18	Expenditure up to 31.3.2018
1	Publicity measures and Awareness Campaign	75.00	49.00	43.53
2	National Highways Accident Relief Service Project(NHARSS)	12.00	02.00	1.75
3	Refresher Training of Drivers in unorganized Sector and Human Resource Development*	10.00	10.00	0.01
4	Setting up of IDTR	30.00	37.00	37.00
5	Road Safety and Pollution Testing Equipment and Programme Implementation	02.00	01.00	0.07
6	Setting up of Inspection & Certification Centre	20.00	09.00	9.00
7	National data Base Network	05.00	04.00	3.31
8	Machinery Equipment	15.00	06.00	2.28
	Total	169	118	96.95
