# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

# **LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2697**ANSWERED ON 2<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST, 2018

# CONVERSION OF STATE HIGHWAY-29 INTO NATIONAL HIGHWAY

#### 2697. SHRI MUKESH RAJPUT:

# Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the State Highway-29 in the State of Uttar Pradesh has been converted into National Highway;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the international Buddhist Pilgrimage Site Sankisa is proposed to be included in Buddhist Circuit; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

### **ANSWER**

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

## (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

- (a) & (b) The stretches of State Highway 29 has been declared as following National Highways (NH):
- (i) NH-731K starting from NH-731 near Shahjahanpur connecting Bisalpur, Barkheda and terminating at its junction with NH-30 near Pilibhit, in the state of Uttar Pradesh.
- (ii) NH-730C starting from its junction with NH-730B near Bisalpur, Miranpur Katra, Fatehgarh and terminating at its junction with NH- 34 near Bewar in the state of Uttar Pradesh.
- (c) & (d) Buddhist circuit is one of the fifteen thematic circuits identified by Ministry of Tourism for development under Swadesh Darshan Scheme. All the sites in the country associated with the Buddhism are covered under the circuit.

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