

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3751**  
ANSWERED ON 9<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2018

**DEVELOPMENT OF EXISTING ROADS IN KERALA**

3751. SHRIMATI P.K. SREEMATHI TEACHER:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to develop the existing roads in Kerala;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, district wise,
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the effective measures being taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (d) The Ministry of Road Transport & Highways is primarily responsible for Development and Maintenance of National Highways (NHs). This is a continuous process depending upon the inter-se-priority, availability of funds, availability of encumbrance free land, utility shifting and mandatory clearances etc. During Financial Year 2017-18, 19 projects costing Rs 3440 Cr were sanctioned in the State of Kerala.

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