

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 722
ANSWERED ON 7th FEBRUARY, 2019

NHS IN KARNATAKA

722. KUMARI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the total length of NHs increased from about 91287 km in 2014 to about 131326 km at present ;
- (b) whether the Government has received proposals from the Government of Karnataka for declaration of State Highways (SHs) as new National Highways during the last four years, if so, the details thereof, year-wise ;
- (c) the details of new NHs declared during the last four years and the current year in Karnataka ;
- (d) the length of State Highways approved “IN-PRINCIPLE” for their declaration as new NHs subject to outcome of their DPRs in Karnataka during the last four years, year-wise ; and
- (e) the status of construction of SHs as new NHs : Karkala-Moodbidri-BC Road; BC Road-Kateel-Mulki Road, Sringeri- Balehonnur-Nadipur and Kundapur- Agumbe-Sringeri Road ?

ANSWER

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

- (a) Yes Madam.

(b) & (c) 37 Proposals for declaration of about 6800 Km of State Highways as new NHs have been received from the State Government of Karnataka during the last four years. The year wise details of NHs declared during the last four years and current year for the State of Karnataka are as follows:

Year	Length of NHs notified (in Km.)
2014-15	138
2015-16	70
2016-17	259
2017-18	889
2018-19 (Till Dec.2018)	132

(d) The year-wise length of State Roads approved “IN-PRINCIPLE” for their declaration as new NHs subject to outcome of their DPRs in Karnataka during the last four years are as follows:

Year	Length of In- Principal approved NHs (in Km.)
2014-15	Nil
2015-16	3522
2016-17	2999
2017-18	88

(e) All four roads i.e Karkala-Moodbidri-BC Road; BC Road-Kateel-Mulki Road, Sringeri- Balehonnur-Nadipur and Kundapur- Agumbe-Sringeri Road are at DPR stage and their declaration as new NHs depend upon final out come of DPR, inter-se priority and availability of funds.
