

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1517
ANSWERED ON 15TH DECEMBER, 2022**

DEVELOPMENT OF ROADS AS NHS

1517. SHRI SANTOSH PANDEY:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) the details of schemes for construction of National Highways in Chhattisgarh;

(b) whether there is any plan to develop the Raipur to Hyderabad and Rajegaon to Raipur road as National Highways and if so, the details thereof;

(c) the time by which the construction of these roads is likely to be started along with the estimated cost thereof; and

(d) whether the process of aquisition of land for the said roads has started and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) National Highways in the State of Chhattisgarh are being implemented under various schemes as under: -

Sl no.	Scheme name	No. of Projects	Lengths (in Km)	Sanctioned Cost (Rs. in Crore)
1.	NH(o)	19	376	2815
2.	NHDP-IV	9	508	4472
3.	LWE(NH)	1	36	37
4.	Bharatmala Pariyojana	3	152	3955

(b) Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH) keeps on receiving proposals from various State Governments / Union Territories (UTs) etc. including the State of Chhattisgarh for declaration / upgradation of State roads as National Highways (NHs). MoRTH considers declaration of some State roads as NHs from time to time based on the requirement of connectivity, inter-se priority and availability of funds. Raipur-Hyderabad Road is being developed by the Ministry under Bharatmala Pariyojana.

(c) Construction work on Raipur-Hyderabad Road under Bharatmala Pariyojana is likely to be started in year 2023-24 at estimated cost of Rs. 4313 cr.

(d) Yes, Sir. Process for acquisition of land has started for Raipur-Hyderabad project.
