GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 307 ANSWERED ON 8th DECEMBER, 2022

QUALITY OF ROAD WORKS IN KARNATAKA

307. SHRI PRAJWAL REVANNA:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that roads in Bangalore which were asphalted ahead of Prime Minister's visit to the city recently have peeled off in just two days and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Union Government has sought any report from the Government of Karnataka for such poor quality of work and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether it has come to notice of the Government that the poor quality of road works and public works are undertaken/executed in the State of Karnataka and if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) The Ministry is primarily responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways (NHs). There have been no instances of peeling off of pavements on NHs near Bangalore city which were asphalted or undergone routine maintenance prior to the Hon'ble Prime Minister's visit to the city of Bangalore.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) No instances of poor quality of NHs works in the State of Karnataka have come to notice of the Ministry.
