

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2417
ANSWERED ON 3RD AUGUST, 2023
CONSTRUCTION OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS**

2417. SHRI ABDUL KHALEQUE:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering the proposal to construct a National Highway (NH) connecting Goroimari of Barpeta district and Kabaitari of Bongaigaon district;**
- (b) if so, the details and present status thereof; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c) Ministry of Road Transport & Highways keeps on receiving proposals for declaration of new National Highways from various States including from the State of Assam. Ministry considers declaration of some of the State Roads as National Highways from time to time keeping in view the requirements of connectivity, traffic levels, inter-se priority and availability of funds. At present, the total length of NH network is 1,45,240 km. In view of the above, presently declaration of the above state road as NH is not under consideration.
