

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 707
ANSWERED ON 07TH DECEMBER, 2023**

ROAD PROJECTS

707. ADV. DEAN KURIAKOSE:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of all projects of roads that pass through Kerala, which were given in-principle approval between May, 2014 and May, 2019 along with the dates of in-principle approvals;

(b) whether the Pazhani-Sabarimala by Munnar National Highway road project was given in-principle approval during the period between May, 2014 and May, 2019; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) The details of road passing through Kerala, which were given in-principle approval between May, 2014 and May, 2019 by the Ministry along with the dates of in-principle approvals is Annexed.

(b)&(c) Yes, Sir. Palani to Kodaighat in Tamil Nadu and Lahai to Pamba near Sabarimala in Kerala have been approved as In-Principle National Highways (NHs) to connect Pazhani with Sabarimala via Munnar passing through Kodaighat – Theni – Munnar- Idduki – Kumli – Vandiperiyar – Lahai (as part of NH-183, 85, 185 and 183A).

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 707 FOR ANSWER ON 07.12.2023 ASKED BY ADV. DEAN KURIAKOSE REGARDING ROAD PROJECTS

Sl.No.	Name of Stretch	Date of In-Principle Approval
1	Road connecting Chovva-Mattannur-Koottupuzha-Valavupra-Makkottam-Virajpetta-Madikkeri- Mysore (stretch in Kerala)	21.11.2016
2	New NH from Junction of NH 183 near Vijayapuram to Junction of NH85 (old NH49) near Oonnukal	30.05.2016
3	Stretch of new NH from junction of NH 766 (old NH 212) near Kalpetta connecting Mananthavadi	23.02.2016
4	Extension of NH 183A (Bharanikavu near Adur) up to Titanium, Chavara at NH47 (new NH66)	30.05.2016
5	New NH connecting NH 183A at Elavunkal near Laha with Pampa	02.01.2017
6	Road connecting International Sea port, Vizhinjam with Karamana-Kaliyikkavila stretch of NH 47 and NH by pass 47 (New NH 66) (Starts from Balaramapuram passes through Mukkola- Vizhinjam International Sea port (Mulloor)- Pulluvila-Kanjiramkulam and meets the NH 47 at Neyyattinkara	02.01.2017
7	Road connecting Thiruvananthapuram-Thenmala	24.03.2017
8	Road connecting Vadakkenchery-Pollachi (stretch in Kerala)	24.03.2017
9	Road connecting Hosdurg Panathur Bhagamandalam Madikeri in Karnataka State (Stretch in Kerala)	24.03.2017
10	Road connecting Cherkala - Kalladka (Stretch in Kerala)	24.03.2017
11	New NH from Kayamkulam (NH 47) to Junction near Thiruvalla (New NH 183)	30.05.2016
12	New NH from Alappuzha (NH 47) Changanassery - Vazhoor -14th Mile (NH 220)	30.05.2016