

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1037
ANSWERED ON 08TH FEBRUARY 2024**

LINKING DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS WITH NH

1037. SHRI RAMESH CHANDER KAUSHIK:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether as compared to the year 2014, the pace of construction of National Highways (NHs) in the country has improved considerably during the last five years and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) whether the Government has formulated any action plan to connect every district headquarters of the country with NHs; and**
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State/district-wise?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) Yes Sir. The average pace of construction during the last five years, that is during the period from 2018-19 to 2022-23, is about 30 km per day, as compared to about 13 km per day (avg.) during the five-year period from 2009-10 to 2013-14.

(b) & (c) The Government has provided connectivity with National Highways (NHs) to all but 40 district headquarters, by making them accessible from the NH network within a distance of 10 km. The State/District-wise list of such 40 district headquarters is annexed.

ANNEXURE**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) & (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1037 FOR ANSWER ON 08.02.2024 ASKED BY SHRI RAMESH CHANDER KAUSHIK REGARDING LINKING DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS WITH NH.****State/UT wise details of District Headquarters not accessible from the NH network within a distance of 10 km**

Sl. No.	State	District	District Headquarter	Nearest NH	Distance from nearest NH (in km)
1	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLAND (UT)	Nicobar	Nicobar	-	-
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	Parvathipuram Manyam	Parvathipuram	26	40
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	Lower Siang	Siji	515	13
4	ASSAM	West Karbi Anglong	Hamren	627	23
5	ASSAM	South Salmara Mankachar	Hatsingimari	127B	12.5
6	CHHATTISGARH	Gaurella- Pendra-Marwahi	Gaurella	45	26
7	CHHATTISGARH	Khairagarh-Chhuikhadan- Gandai	Khairagarh	53	41
8	CHHATTISGARH	Mohla-Manpur-Ambagarh Chowki	Mohla	930	20
9	GUJARAT	Mahisagar	Lunawada	47	37
10	JAMMU AND KASHMIR (UT)	Bandipore	Bandipore	1	35
11	LAKSHADWEEP (UT)	Lakshadweep	Lakshadweep	-	-
12	MADHYA PRADESH	Ashoknagar	Ashoknagar	346	48
13	MADHYA PRADESH	Mandsaur	Mandsaur	NE4	40
14	MADHYA PRADESH	Niwari	Niwari	156	20
15	MADHYA PRADESH	Ratlam	Ratlam	NE4	15
16	MADHYA PRADESH	Sehore	Sehore	46	29
17	MANIPUR	Kamjong	Kamjong	102A	55
18	MEGHALAYA	South West Garo Hills	Ampati	127B	22
19	MEGHALAYA	South West Khasi Hills	Mawkyrwat	106	31

20	MEGHALAYA	North Garo Hills	Resubelpara	217	12
21	NAGALAND	Niuland	Niuland	2	52
22	NAGALAND	Noklak	Noklak	202	27
23	ODISHA	Sundergarh	Sundergarh	49	31
24	RAJASTHAN	Deeg	Deeg	19	35
25	RAJASTHAN	Kekri	Kekri	52	36
26	RAJASTHAN	Neem Ka Thana	Neem Ka Thana	48	47
27	RAJASTHAN	Salumbar	Salumbar	48	43
28	SIKKIM	Soreng	Soreng	710	38
29	TELANGANA	Jogulamba Gadwal	Gadwal	44	15
30	TELANGANA	Narayanpet	Narayanpet	167	30
31	TELANGANA	Peddapalli	Peddapalli	163G	32
32	TELANGANA	Medchal– Malkajgiri	Shamirpet	44	12
33	TELANGANA	Vikarabad	Vikarabad	163	10
34	TELANGANA	Wanaparthy	Wanaparthy	44	14
35	UTTAR PRADESH	Gyanpur	Gyanpur	19	10
36	UTTAR PRADESH	Sonbhadra	Robertsganj	135	64
37	UTTAR PRADESH	Sambhal	Sambhal	509	25
38	WEST BENGAL	Hooghly	Chinsurah	19	23
39	WEST BENGAL	Jhargram	Jhargram	49	15
40	WEST BENGAL	Kalimpong	Kalimpong	10	13
