

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA
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EXTENSION OF NHS IN UTTAR PRADESH

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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to extend National Highways (NHs) in Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether certain roads in Uttar Pradesh have been declared as NHs and construction thereof has been started during the current financial year;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which construction of these highways is likely to be completed?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b) Central Government notifies certain State Roads as new National Highways (NHs) from time to time based on requirement of connectivity, inter-se priority and availability of resources.

(c) to (e) 3971 km of State Roads have been declared as new NHs in the State of Uttar Pradesh since May, 2014. Development and maintenance of National Highways (NHs) is a continuous process. Works on NHs are accordingly taken up as per inter-se-priority, traffic density and available resources. 55 numbers of widening/improvement works on various NHs in Uttar Pradesh costing Rs. 46865 crore are in various stages of implementation with completion period of 2-3 years.
