

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2977
ANSWERED ON 5TH AUGUST, 2021**

MONITORING ON NHS

2977. DR. KRISHNA PAL SINGH YADAV:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to arrange for monitoring/patrolling on all the National Highways (NHs) across the country;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) the funds allocated and utilised for the purpose during each of the last three years and the current year, year-wise; and**
- (d) the details of funds sanctioned for the financial year 2021-22, State-wise?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b) Provision for Incident Management Services (IMS) (Rescue Ambulance, Patrol vehicle and Tow Away Crane) on National Highways (NHs) stretches entrusted to States / Union Territories (UTs) has been made in all new development projects, Periodical Renewal (PR) / Improvement of Riding Quality Program (IRQP) works as well as Medium term contract maintenance of 3 years or more. For stretches entrusted to NHAI, the responsibility of Incident Management rests with the individual concessionaire /contractor operating the highway stretch, and as a part of incident management in the contract/concession agreements, there is already a provision of patrolling vehicles which patrol the concerned stretch of National Highway under the jurisdiction of NHAI at regular intervals.

(c) & (d) No separate allocation is done for monitoring/patrolling of NH sections as this is done as part of the contract of the respective project.
