

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3604  
ANSWERED ON 24<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2022**

**ROAD PROJECTS IN HIMACHAL PRADESH**

**3604. SHRIMATI PRATIBHA SINGH:**

**Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS**

सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

**be pleased to state:**

- (a) the funds allocated and utilised for construction of National Highways (NHs) in the State of Himachal Pradesh during each of the last three years and the current year;**
- (b) the details and the present status of the road projects sanctioned during the said period in the State;**
- (c) whether the length of roads per kilometer constructed in the State is less than the average at National level; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government to bridge that gap?**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS**

**(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)**

**(a) The funds allocated and utilised for construction of National Highways (NHs) in the State of Himachal Pradesh during each of the last three years and the current year are as follows:-**

**(Amount in Rs. crore)**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Allocation</b>	<b>Expenditure</b>
<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2098.41</b>	<b>2076.06</b>
<b>2019-20</b>	<b>1207.74</b>	<b>1146.33</b>
<b>2020-21</b>	<b>1922.11</b>	<b>1921.92</b>
<b>2021-22 (Till February, 2022)</b>	<b>2834.42</b>	<b>2782.34</b>

**(b) Total 60 works costing Rs. 17,931 crores have been sanctioned during the last three years and the current year. Out of these, 8 works have been completed and remaining are at various stages of construction/ award.**

**(c) During the current Financial Year (FY),140 km of National Highways (NHs) have been constructed till 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 against the target of 122 km in the State of Himachal Pradesh.**

**(d) Does not arise.**

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