

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4601
ANSWERED ON 31st MARCH, 2022**

ROADS IN COASTAL AREAS

4601. SHRIMATI RANJANBEN DHANANJAY BHATT:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government proposes to construct sturdy roads in the coastal areas of the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken by the Government in this regard so far?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS
(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)**

(a) & (b) Different components of National Highways like pavement, bridges, structures etc. are designed and constructed as per Indian Roads Congress (IRC) standards & guidelines and specifications and policy guidelines of Ministry of Road Transport & Highways. These standards, guidelines and specifications have provision for design and construction of different components of National Highways in different climate and exposure conditions including coastal areas. Design and construction of National Highways in coastal areas is done meeting the appropriate requirements of standards, guidelines and specifications.
