

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4012
ANSWERED ON 19TH DECEMBER, 2024**

NH-PROJECTS IN BIHAR

4012. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) the details of National Highways (NHs) along with their number and length thereof, Statewise;

(b) whether there are plans for electrification of all stretches of NH-projects in the country, particularly in Bihar;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken so far in this direction; and

(d) the number of ongoing NH projects in Bihar along with likely date of completion thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) There are 670 nos. of National Highways (NHs) in the country with total length of about 1,46,195 km at present. State / Union Territory (UT) – wise details of NHs are at Annexure.

(b) and (c) As part of policy of Government, highway lighting facility is provided for following NHs sections:-

(i) Toll Plaza Area: The lighting in and around toll plaza, toll booths, office building, on the approach road, etc.

(ii) Rest Areas

(iii) Truck lay-bye

(iv) Bus Bay & Bus Shelter Locations

(v) Grade Separated Structures, interchanges, Flyovers, Underpasses (vehicular/pedestrian) and Overpasses: The top and underside of the grade separated structures and interchanges area at the ground level upto 50 m beyond and punt from where flaring of the main carriageway takes place shall be provided with lighting.

(vi) Built-up sections on the project highway both in the median of main carriageway and on the service roads on either side.

Accordingly, highway lighting facilities have been provided in about 25,400 km length of NHs in the country, including 296 km length in the State of Bihar.

(d) 70 projects in about 2,093 km length of NHs costing about ₹ 64,536 Crore are under construction in the State of Bihar, with completion in a phased manner by 2027-28.

ANNEXURE**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4012 ANSWERED ON 19.12.2024 ASKED BY SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL REGARDING NH-PROJECTS IN BIHAR****State / UT – wise details of NHs: -**

Sl. No.	State/UT	No. of NHs	NH Length (in km)
1	Andhra Pradesh	55	8,683
2	Arunachal Pradesh	14	4,367
3	Assam	38	4,077
4	Bihar	56	6,132
5	Chandigarh	1	15
6	Chhattisgarh	20	3,620
7	Delhi	12	157
8	Goa	6	299
9	Gujarat	45	8,111
10	Haryana	39	3,347
11	Himachal Pradesh	19	2,607
12	Jammu and Kashmir	11	1,935
13	Jharkhand	32	3,633
14	Karnataka	49	8,191
15	Kerala	12	1,858
16	Ladakh	3	806
17	Madhya Pradesh	47	9,160
18	Maharashtra	102	18,462
19	Manipur	11	1,840
20	Meghalaya	5	1,156
21	Mizoram	9	1,499
22	Nagaland	12	1,670
23	Odisha	32	5,897
24	Puducherry	2	64
25	Punjab	38	4,264
26	Rajasthan	53	10,733
27	Sikkim	8	709
28	Tamil Nadu	50	7,000
29	Telangana	30	4,926
30	Tripura	6	889
31	Uttar Pradesh	90	12,123
32	Uttarakhand	26	3,664
33	West Bengal	35	3,910
34	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1	331
35	Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	4	59
	Total	670	146,195
