

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 554
ANSWERED ON 28TH November, 2024**

HIGHWAY PROJECTS IN MAHARASHTRA

554. Smt. Smita Uday Wagh:

Will the MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of highway projects sanctioned for Maharashtra and its total length especially in Jalgaon Lok Sabha Constituency;**
- (b) the impact which these projects would leave on the connectivity of Maharashtra region and in driving economic growth; and**
- (c) the progress of ongoing highway projects in the state and its role in shaping the lives of citizens?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (c) The development and maintenance of National Highways (NHs) is a continuous process. Government has sanctioned 228 works aggregating total length of 4111 km in the state of Maharashtra in the last three years including the Jalgaon Lok Sabha constituency. Construction of 4502 km of NHs has been completed in the State of Maharashtra during the last three years and current year. Construction of NHs will ensure smooth flow of traffic with better connectivity boosting the overall economic growth of the state. This will also ensure reduction in the travel time and vehicle operating cost with increased safety of the road users.
