GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5337 ANSWERED ON 3RD APRIL, 2025

NATIONAL HIGHWAY PROJECTS IN KERALA

5337. SHRI SHAFI PARAMBIL

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) the date on which various National Highway projects were approved in the State of Kerala;
- (b) the date on which the State Government of Kerala conveyed its willingness to the Union Government to increase the width of the National Highway to forty-five meters;
- (c) the timeline and a brief history of the development of the ongoing National Highway projects in Kerala; and
- (d) the total funds allotted to the State of Kerala for highway development?

ANSWER

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

(a to c) Development and Maintenance of National Highways (NHs) is a continuous process. The works on NHs are accordingly taken up in phased manner to keep the NHs in traffic worthy conditions depending upon inter-se priority, traffic density and synergy with PM Gati Shakti National Master Plan.

Right of Way (ROW) for any National Highway is decided as per nature and extent of the development based on traffic density and future

development requirements after following the standards published by Indian Road Congress (IRC) and extant policies of the Government. The details of the ongoing NHs construction works in Kerala are placed at Annexure-I.

(d) During the FY 2024-25, allocated fund for the development of National Highways in the state of Kerala is Rs. 2,756 Crore.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a to c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5337 ANSWERED ON 03.04.2025 ASKED BY SHRI SHAFI PARAMBIL REGARDING "NATIONAL HIGHWAY PROJECTS IN KERALA".

Details of ongoing NHa construction projects in Kerala

SI No	Name of the Project	Length (km)	Date of Sanction	Sanction Cost (Rs. Crore)	Revised date of Completion
1	Widening to 2 lane with paved shoulders from km 87/000 to km 133/720 (Nattukal to Thanau Jn in Palakkad) of NH 966(Old NH 213) on EPC mode	46.72	10.02.2017/ 21.03.2022	294.26	31.05.2025
	Strengthening and Geometric improvements from KM 25/000 to 45/000 of NH 766 (Old NH 212) in the State of Kerala under Annual Plan 2019-20 on EPC Mode	20	31.03.2020/ Balance Work 10.08.2023	35.42 + 22.39 (Balance Work)	31.05.2025
3	6-laning of Thalappady to Chengala on NH-66	39	07.05.2020	2627.66	30.06.2025
4	6-laning of Chengala to Neeleshwaram on NH-66	37.27	13.05.2020	2377.88	30.11.2025
5	6-laning of Neeleshwaram to Thalipparamba	40.11	03.06.2020	3799.36	31.12.2025
	6-laning of Thalipparamba to Muzhapilangadu	29.95	24.07.2020	3319.41	31.12.2025
7	6-laning of Azhiyur to Vengalam	40.8	14.10.2020	3787.77	31.12.2025
8	6-laning of Existing Kozhikode Bypass (i.e. Vengalam Jn. to Ramanattukara Jn.)	28.4	14.12.2017	2065.95	30.04.2025

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9	Balance work of widening of 4 nos existing of Kozhikode Bypass (Calicut Bypass) (i.e. Vengalam Jn. to Ramanattukara Jn.)	1.895	30.05.2024	106.75	05.03.2026
10	6-laning of Ramanattukara to Valanchery	39.68	28.01.2021	4924.11	30.04.2025
11	6-laning of Valanchery to Kappirikkad	37.35	29.01.2021	4023.94	30.04.2025
12	6-laning of Kappirikkad- Thalikulam	33.17	01.06.2021	4225.59	23.10.2025
13	6-laning of Thalikulam- Kodungallur	28.84	15.06.2021	4302.06	11.11.2025
14	6-laning of Kodungallur- Edapally	26.03	17.09.2021	3606.2	21.10.2025
15	6 lane Elevated Corridor Aroor to Thuravoor Thekku	12.75	06.01.2022	2382.83	30.01.2026
16	6 Laning of Thuravoor Thekku – Paravoor	38.39	27.08.2021	2638.67	31.03.2026
17	6 laning of Paravoor to Kottukulangara	37.5	22.12.2021	3176.14	31.03.2026
18	6 laning of Kottukulangara to start of Kollam bypass	31.5	18.05.2021	3351.59	25.12.2025
19	6-Laning of Start of Kollam Bypass to Kadambattukonam	31.25	21.05.2021	3082.32	31.12.2025
20	6-Laning of Kadambattukonam to Kazhakuttom	29.83	06.12.2021	3526.33	31.05.2026
