

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4664
TO BE ANSWERED ON AUGUST 21, 2025**

LINK ROADS NETWORK

NO. 4664. SMT. D K ARUNA:

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether missing links of roads in the country have been identified through comprehensive surveys conducted from time to time in each State and an efficient network design has been recommended and prepared in coordination with various States and Unified Metropolitan Transport Authorities (UMTAs);**
- (b) if so, whether any Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) has been prepared and if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether the Union and State Governments and other institutions have signed any Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs) with each other for integrating Artificial Intelligence (AI) into improving road networks and easing traffic congestion; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken to achieve the goal of 'Viksit Bharat-2047' by identifying missing or critical roads across the country, State/UT-wise, including the areas of Guntur, Palnadu, Vijayawada, Nalgonda, Bhongir, Karimnagar, Khammam and Nellore districts of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana along with the funds sanctioned and spent so far?**

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)**

(a) National Highways Authority of India has reported that Development of National Highways is a continuous process depending on project prioritisation in consultation with economic sector Ministries and other stakeholders including States and subject to availability of resources. Government receives proposals from various State Governments / Union Territories (UTs) from time to time, for declaration / upgradation of State roads, including State Highways (SHs), as new National Highways (NHs). Decisions are taken based on the broad principles of declaration of NHs, requirement of connectivity, traffic density, inter-se priority and synergy with PM GatiShakti National Master Plan (NMP). Further, consultation with State Government is also done to mitigate the regional imbalance related to road network/density and ensuring last mile connectivity in all parts of the country.

(b) This Ministry has received proposals for seeking Central Financial Assistance (CFA) for the preparation of Comprehensive Mobility Plan (CMP) from various State Governments/Implementing Agencies. The detail of proposals for CFA sanctioned during the last five years is provided in Annexure-I.

(c) 'Urban Planning' is a State subject and hence respective State Governments are responsible for signing Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs), if any, with institutions for integrating Artificial Intelligence (AI) so as to improve road networks and easing traffic congestion. This Ministry has not signed any MoU for this purpose.

(d) NHAI has reported that in respect of Andhra Pradesh, four number of projects for expansion/ upgradation of National Highways in Andhra Pradesh have been sanctioned. The details of projects along with the districts in which these projects passes through are enclosed at Annexure-II.

In respect of Telangana, five number of projects for expansion/ upgradation of National Highways in the Telangana districts of Khammam & Karimnagar have been sanctioned. The details of projects along with the districts in which these projects passes through are enclosed at Annexure-III.

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ANNEXURE-I

Detail of proposals for CFA sanctioned during the last five years

S.No.	Particulars	State Governments/ Implementing Agency	Year
1	Preparation of CMP for 13 cities of Uttar Pradesh (Moradabad, Bareilly, Shahjahanpur, Ayodhya, Aligarh, Ghaziabad, Jhansi, Saharanpur, Kanpur, Lucknow, Agra, Prayagraj, Meerut)	Municipal Corporation of each city	2020
2	Preparation of CMP for Latur City, Maharashtra	Latur City Municipal Corporation	2021
3	Preparation of CMP for cities of Madhya Pradesh (Bhopal, Indore, Jabalpur, Gwalior and Ujjain)	Madhya Pradesh Metro Rail Corporation Ltd.	
4	Preparation of CMP for Mathura and Vrindavan Cities of Uttar Pradesh	Nagar Nigam Mathura-Vrindavan	2022
5	Preparation of CMP for 7 cities of Punjab (Ludhiana, Amritsar, Jalandhar, Bathinda, Patiala, Pathankot and Rajpura)	Punjab Municipal Infrastructure Development Company	
6	Preparation of CMP for Chennai Metropolitan Area	Chennai Unified Metropolitan Transport Authority	2023
7	Preparation of CMP for Surat, Gujarat	Surat Municipal Corporation	
8	Updation of CMP for Ahmadabad, Gujarat	Urban Development and Urban Housing Dept., GoG	2024
9	Revision of CMP for Pune Metropolitan Region	Maharashtra Metro Rail Corporation Ltd	
10	Preparation of CMP for Mysuru, Karnataka	Department of Urban Land Transport, UD Dept., GoK	
11	Preparation of CMP for Vijayawada and Visakhapatnam	Andhra Pradesh Metro Rail Corporation Ltd	

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ANNEXURE-II

Details of projects along with the districts

<u>S. No</u>	Projects sanctioned	Length (Km.)	Cost (Cr.)	Name of Districts through which the project passes through
1	Construction of a flyover at Gammon Junction on NH-16	2.45	327	East Godavari
2	Widening of Vakalapudi Light House to Annavaram section of NH-516F	40.62	1,440	Kakinada
3	Development of Junctions at Lalacheruvu (km.907+00), ITC (Km.909.+600) & Vemagiri (Km.918+400) on NH216A	4.41	265	East Godavari
4	4-Laning of Badvel to Nellore section	108.13	3,653	YSR Kadapa & SPSR Nellore
	Total	155.61	5,685	

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ANNEXURE-III

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<u>S. No</u>	Projects sanctioned	Length (Km.)	Cost (Cr.)	Name of Districts through which the project passes through
1	4-Lane AC GH section on NH-163G (Warangal-Khammam) from Thallasenkesa village to V.Vekatayapalem village as part of Nagpur Vijayawada Corridor on HAM in Telangana (Package-III)	30.83	1098.05	Mahabubabad, Khammam
2	Construction of 4 Lane Access Controlled Greenfield Highway section on NH-163G (Khammam-Vijayawada) from V. Venkatayapalem village at Design Ch. 220.480 Km to Brahmanapalli(K) village at Design Ch. 250.400 Km (Package-I)	29.92	1021.96	Khammam
3	4-Lane AC GH section on NH-163G (Khammam-Vijayawada) from Brahmanapalli(K) village to Remidicherla village as part of Nagpur Vijayawada Corridor on HAM in Telangana and AP (Package-II)	29.80	862.58	Khammam, NTR District
4	Construction of 4-Lane Access Controlled Greenfield Highway section on NH-163G (Khammam-Vijayawada) from Remidicherla village to Jakkampudi village as part of Nagpur Vijayawada Corridor on HAM in Telangana (Package-III)	29.709	1225.14	Khammam, NTR District
5	Four laning of Karimnagar to Warangal section of NH-563	68.015	2414.46	Karimnagar, Hanumakonda
	Total	188.274	6622.19	