GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 912 ANSWERED ON 24TH JULY, 2025

NHS AND SHS CONNECTIVITY IN TRIBAL AREAS OF ANDHRA PRADESH

912. SHRI APPALANAIDU KALISETTI:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the existing National Highway (NH) and State Highway (SH) connectivity to tribal areas in North Andhra Pradesh especially in Vizianagaram, Parvathipuram Manyam, Alluri Sitharama Raju and Anakapalli districts along with the information on road length, type, condition, district-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has identified any tribal areas in Andhra Pradesh that currently lack adequate road or highway connectivity and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number and status of road development projects sanctioned, implemented or completed in these areas in the last five years, project-wise and district-wise;
- (d) the funds allocated, released and utilised for these projects in the last five years; and
- (e) whether any proposals from the State Government of Andhra Pradesh for improving tribal area connectivity are pending with the Union Government and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (c) Government in the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways is mainly responsible for development and maintenance of National

Highways (NHs). The details of NHs passing through the districts of Vizianagaram, Parvathipuram Manyam, Alluri Sitharama Raju and Anakapalli in the State of Andhra Pradesh are at Annexure- I. The details of ongoing NH works and those completed during the last five years along with their sanctioned cost, expenditure incurred in these districts are at Annexure-II.

(d) Funds are allocated on a consolidated, State-wise basis for the development and maintenance of National Highways, and not earmarked project-wise. The details of funds allocated and expenditure incurred towards development and maintenance of NHs in the State of Andhra Pradesh during the last five years are as under;

Year	Allocation	Expenditure		
	(Rs. in Crore)	(Rs. in Crore)		
2020-21	4281	4281		
2021-22	5890	5890		
2022-23	6957	6957		
2023-24	11440	11440		
2024-25	11777	11756		

(e) Government keeps on receiving proposals from various State Governments/UTs, etc., including from the State of Andhra Pradesh for declaration / up-gradation of State roads as National Highways (NHs). Government considers declaration of some of the State roads as NHs from time to time based on the requirements of connectivity, inter-se priority, traffic levels and synergy with PM Gati Shakti National Master Plan (NMP).

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 912 FOR ANSWER ON 24.07.2025 ASKED BY SHRI APPALANAIDU KALISETTI REGARDING NHS AND SHS CONNECTIVITY IN TRIBAL AREAS OF ANDHRA PRADESH

Details of NHs passing through the districts of Vizianagaram, Parvathipuram Manyam, Alluri Sitharama Raju and Anakapalli in the state of Andhra Pradesh

SI	NH	Districts of North	Lane status	Length of
No	No.	Andhra Pradesh in		NH in the
		which NH passes		Districts (in
		through		km)
1	16	Srikakulam,	4/6	374
		Vizianagaram,		
		Visakhapatnam &		
		Anakapalli		
2	130CD	Parvathipuram	6	99
		Manyam, Vizianagara		
		& Anakapalli		
3	516C	Visakhapatnam	4/6	14
4	26	Parvatipuram,	2Lane with paved	117
		Manyam &	shoulders/4 Lane with	
		Vizianagaram	paved shoulders	
5	326	ASR	2Lane with paved	9
			shoulders	
6	30	ASR	2Lane/2Lane with	64
			paved shoulders	
7	516E	ASR & Vizianagaram	Single	360
			Lane/2Lane/2Lane with	
			Paved Shoulders	

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Details of ongoing NH works and competed during the last five years along with their sanctioned cost, expenditure incurred in districts of Vizianagaram, Parvathipuram Manyam, Alluri Sitharama Raju and Anakapalli in the State of Andhra Pradesh

SI.	Name of	Total	Expenditu	Cumulati	Districts covered
No	Project	Projec	re till	ve	
		t Cost	date (Rs	Physical	
		(Rs in	in Cr)	Progress	
		Cr)		(in %)	
1	Development of	922.5	534.56	84 %	Parvathipuram
	Six Lane Aluru -				Manyam &
	Jakkuva				Vizianagaram
	Section of NH-				
	130CD Road				
	from Km				
	365.033 to Km				
	396.800 under				
	Raipur-				
	Visakhapatnam				
	Economic				
	Corridor				
	[Package-1(AP)]				
2	Development of	663.6	464.74	Complet	Vizianagaram
	Six Lane			ed	
	Jakkuva –				
	Korlam Section				
	of NH-130CD				
	Road from Km.				
	396.800 to Km.				
	421.100 under				

	Raipur- Visakhapatnam Economic Corridor [Package-2(AP)]			
3	Development of Six Lane Korlam - Kantakapalle Section of NH-130CD Road from Km. 421.100 to Km 445.100 under Raipur-Visakhapatnam Economic Corridor [Package-3(AP)]	727.69	ed ed	Vizianagaram
4	Development of Six Lane Kantakapalle – Sabbavaram	548.92	Complet ed	Vizianagaram & Anakapalli
	Section of NH- 130CD Road from Km. 445.100 to Km. 464.662 under Raipur- Visakhapatnam Economic Corridor [Package-4(AP)]			

	from Km. 629+880 to Km. 634+470 (Design Chainage) of NH-16 in Ranasthalam Town portion				
6	6L Connectivity to Port Road from Sabbavaram Sheelanagar- NH516C	963.9 3	62.13	Not Yet Appointe d	Visakhapatnam &Anakapalli
7	Improvement of 4L road to 6L road and 4L dedicated Port Roads for the Port connectivity road from Convent junction to Sheelanagar Junction	9	333.21	55%	Visakhapatnam
8	4L Road from existing East break water upto Convent Junction from Phase 1 of the project start from Km. 0.312 [End of Vishakhapatna m Port Trust (VPT)] to Km.		48.27	Complet ed	Visakhapatnam

	3.800 [VCTPL Exit Gate]				
9	Construction of Flyover/Underp ass at Vizag Airport Junction to ensure Flow of container trailers to/from MMLP setup at NH-16		37.97	83%	Visakhapatnam
10	4L of Ichapuram to Narasannapeta from Km. 470.415 to Km. 581.700 (Capacity Augmentation) of NH-16 (Old NH-5)		535.55	Complet ed	Srikakulam
11	6 L of Narasannapeta - Ranastalam section from Km580.671 to Km.629.880 of NH-16		1216.97	Complet ed	Srikakulam
12	Ranasthalam (Km.634.000) to Anandapuram (Km.681.000) of NH-16		1199.75	Complet ed	Srikakulam, Vizianagaram & Visakhapatnam
13	6L of Anandapuram - Pendurthi -	2957. 25	2185.74	Complet ed	Visakhaptnam&Anaka palli

14	Anakapalli Section from km. 681.000 to km. 731.780 of NH-16 Grade Separator from H-7 Area to Port Connectivity Road bypassing Convent	59.91	44.17	Complet ed	Visakhapatnam
	Junction				
	Rehabilitation and Up- gradation from km 170.700 (Bhadrachalam) to Km 234.567 (konta) of NH- 30 to two lane with paved Shoulders	436.0 9	225.77	89 %	ASR District
	Widening to two lane with paved shoulder of Rampachodava ram - Koyyuru section of NH- 516E from km 43.700 to Km 113.820	568.1 2	331.32	92 %	ASR District
	Construction of the Bypass road from Km.486/831 to 491/420 of	70.81	57.55	Complet ed	Parvathipuram Manyam

Raipur Visakhapatnam section of NH.43 (New NH-26)				
Construction of approaches to the existing 2lane ROB in lieu of L.C.No.RV 324 @ Km 436/12-13 between komatipalli and Gajapathinagar am stations at Km 515/200 of NH 43 (New NH 26)	42.76	32.18	90 %	Vizianagaram
19 Widening to two lane with paved shoulder of Chintoor to Motu section of NH 326 from km 0.00 to km 9.6000 (Design Change km.0.00 to km.8.345)	98.49	27.32	44%	ASR District
20 Widening and Strengthening to two lane with paved shoulders including Geometrical improvements from Km	221.4	155.93	Complet ed	Parvathipuram Manyam & Vizianagaram

491.000 to 525.200 of Raipur- Visakhapatnam section of NH	F			
21 Rehabilitation and up gradation to 2 lane with paved shoulders configuration of Koyyuru Chaprathipalem (km 120+000 to 165+500) Section of NH-516E	349.2 9	227.68	86%	Alluri Sitharama Raju District and Anakapalli District
Rehabilitation and up gradation to 2 lane with paved shoulders configuration of Chaprathipalem - Lambasing (km 165+500 to 205+000) Section of NH 516E	311.2 2	151.58	76 %	Alluri Sitharama Raju District
Rehabilitation and up gradation to 2 lane with paved shoulders configuration of Lambasingi Paderu (km	358.0 5	73.55	23%	Alluri Sitharama Raju District

205+000 to 253+974) Section of NH- 516E Construction of				
Paderu bypass	244.4 3	23.37	3%	Alluri Sitharama Raju District
Rehabilitation and Upgradation to 2-Lane with Paved Shoulder Configuration of Paderu - Gondiguda Section (Km 2+400 to Km 27+480) of NH- 516 E	202.5 3	183.91	99 %	Alluri Sitharama Raju District
Rehabilitation and Up- gradation to 2- lane with paved shoulders configuration of Gondiguda- Araku (upto Bhallaguda) Section (km 27+480 to km 51+772) of NH- 516E	289.1 1	246.11	95%	Alluri Sitharama Raju District

27	Rehabilitation and Upgradation to 2-lane with paved shoulder configuration of Bowdara to Vizianagaram (Km 0.00 to Km 26.937) section of NH 516E	159.0 7	153.17	Complet ed	Alluri Sitharama Raju District and Vizianagaram District
28	Construction of 2-lane ROB in lieu of Level Crossing no KK-26 (Railway Ch. Km 109/20-21) at existing km 37+003 of NH-516E in the State of Andhra Pradesh under NH(O) on EPC mode	88.56	0.70	Not Yet Appointe d	Alluri Sitharama Raju District
