

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1995
ANSWERED ON 11TH DECEMBER, 2025**

**SEPARATE FUND FOR REPAIR OF ROADS DAMAGED DUE TO
FLOODS**

†1995. SMT. MANJU SHARMA:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

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be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to establish a separate fund for the reconstruction and repair of roads damaged due to floods in the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the reaction of the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (c) The Government has prioritized the maintenance of existing National Highway network and inter-alia evolved a mechanism to ensure Maintenance and Repair (M&R) of all NHs sections, including reconstruction and repair of NHs damaged due to floods, through accountable maintenance agency. Government has already made a separate provision of funds for maintenance and repair of NHs, which includes repair / immediate restoration of traffic for damages due to floods.

All emergency repair works on NHs, damaged by heavy rain / flash flood / land slide etc., are taken up immediately for early restoration of traffic. Permanent restoration work is taken up as per the Detailed Project Report after assessment of cause of damages.
