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

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2016 ANSWERED ON 10<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER, 2015

#### **FACILITIES ALONG NHs**

2016. SHRI RAHUL SHEWALE: DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE: SHRI VINAYAK BHAURAO RAUT: DEVJI M. PATEL:

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

## सडक परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्री

- (a) whether the Government is planning to develop passengers amenities of the international standard on the National Highways (NHs) including NHs connecting religious places across the country?
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with places covered under the first phase of the scheme formulated for the said purpose;
- (c) whether these facilities are proposed to be made available under PPP model, if so the details thereof:
- (d) whether the Government is considering to provide basic civic amenities like water, toilets and healthcare free of cost; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor

#### **ANSWER**

## THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

- (a) Yes, Madam.
- (b) National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) is establishing wayside amenities along National Highways. Finalization of places to be covered under the first phase of the scheme is under process.
- (c) Yes, Madam. These facilities are proposed to be made available under Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode.
- (d) and (e) It is too early to make a statement on this.

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