Safety investigation on State and NHs by World Bank

1675. SHRIMATI SHOBHANA BHARTIA: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether in view of the increasing number of road accidents/deaths in India, the World Bank has decided to carryout safety investigations on State and National Highways;
- (b) if so, whether the Global Road Safety Facility, a body of the World Bank will provide funds to State Governments on certain conditionalities; and
- (c) if so, whether the Central Government has since cleared the project and the manner in which the programme is likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH): (a) No, Sir. There is no specific proposal of any such study before the Government. However, project specific road safety issues are studied, discussed with World Bank and addressed under the respective World Bank funded projects.

- (b) No such proposal has been received from the World Bank.
- (c) Does not arise.

Flyovers on NHs passing through Kerala

1676. SHRI P. RAJEEVE: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of flyovers constructed on National Highways passing through the State of Kerala; and
 - (b) what it the ratio of number of flyovers to population in each and every State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH): (a) There are six flyovers constructed on Thrissur to Edapally Section of NH-47 under National Highway Development Project (NHDP) as per details given below:—

SI.No.	Location	Chainage
1.	Puthur	Km. 272/333
2.	Thrissur bypass	Km. 277/190
3.	Kodakara	Km. 287/784
4.	Potta	Km. 293/290
5.	Chalakudy	Km. 296/785
6.	Aluva	Km. 330/940