

**Impact of demonetisation on road construction**

2819. SHRI KAPIL SIBAL: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of length of roads constructed during year 2016, month-wise;
- (b) whether road construction had reduced in November and December, 2016 and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the Ministry has undertaken any study to assess the impact of demonetisation on the road construction industry, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA): (a) The details of the road constructed during the year 2016, month-wise are given in the Statement (*See* below).

(b) and (c) No, Sir.

***Statement****Month-wise details of the National Highways constructed during the year 2016*

Sl. No.	Months of 2016	Length (km.)
1.	Jan	769
2.	Feb	539
3.	Mar	773
4.	Apr	464
5.	May	711
6.	Jun	759
7.	Jul	362
8.	Aug	368
9.	Sept	315
10.	Oct	612
11.	Nov	430
12.	Dec	678
TOTAL		6780