

corresponding period of last year through various executing agencies including NHAI.

**New highways constructed in Chhattisgarh,
Jharkhand and Odisha**

†143. MS. SAROJ PANDEY: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of new highways constructed in Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand and Odisha in the last five years;
- (b) the total length of these highways and financial expenditure incurred thereon; and
- (c) the number of new highways proposed in these States and financial allocation approved in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI): (a) and (b) Details of National Highways (NHs) constructed, State-wise, during last five years are given in Statement-I (*See* below).

- (c) Details are given in Statement-II

Statement-I

*Details of new highways constructed in Chhattisgarh,
Jharkhand and Odisha*

(A) The Details of National Highways (NHs) constructed, State-wise, during last five years are as under:

Sl. No.	State	NH Length constructed in km.				
		2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
1.	Chhattisgarh	307	327	483	522	397
2.	Jharkhand	126	119	211	236	287
3.	Odisha	386	268	490	535	534

(B) Details of financial expenditure incurred on National Highways (NHs) with the State PWD, State-wise, during last five years:-

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Sl. No.	State	Financial expenditure incurred ₹ in Crore				
		2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
1.	Chhattisgarh	71	340	1496	1072	2345
2.	Jharkhand	64	38	213	261	320
3.	Odisha	323	592	951	717	774

Statement-II

State wise details of NHs length proposed for development of notified NH's entrusted to State PWD under Annual Plan 2019-20

Sl. No.	State	length proposed in KM	Sanction ceiling for projects on NHs for 2019-20 (₹ in crore)
1.	Chhattisgarh	200	990
2.	Jharkhand	285	809
3.	Odisha	433	1129

Implementation of rail projects under Sagarmala

144. SHRIMATI VIJILA SATHYANANTH: Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that more than 50 per cent of the rail connectivity projects identified under Sagarmala, are under implementation through various agencies;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is also a fact that rail projects worth ₹ 18,800 crore being implemented, to reduce logistics cost; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI MANSUKH MANDAVIYA): (a) to (d) Yes Sir, there are 83 rail projects worth ₹ 56416.19 Crore identified under Sagarmala to be taken up by various agencies. Out of this, 51 projects are under implementation. Details of rail projects with status is given in Statement.