

National Highways Through Jharkhand

2031. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) which are the national highways passing through Jharkhand State with details thereof;

(b) whether they have been developed to national highways standards; and

(c) if not, what steps Government propose to take to develop these highways?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJ. GEN. (RETD.) B.C. KHANDURI): (a) National Highways No. 2, 6, 23, 31, 32, 33, Extn. of 75, 78, 80, 98, 99 and 100 are passing through Jharkhand State. Details are given in the Statement. (see below)

(b) Our efforts are to maintain the National Highways to National Highway Standards. However newly declared National Highways need to be upgraded.

(c) The Development and maintenance of the National Highways is a continuous process. National Highways are developed to the National Highway Standards depending upon the availability of funds.

List of National Highways in Jharkhand

Sl. No.	NH No.	Description	Date of declaration of the National Highway
1.	2	From Bihar-Jharkhand Border near Chauparan to Jharkhand West Bengal Border near Barakar.	Declared as NH vide notification dated 4th April, 1957.
2.	6	West Bengal Bihar Border (Loddashahi) to Bihar-Orissa Border (Jamshola).	Declared as NH vide notification dated 4th April, 1957.
3.	23	Chas to Ramgarh and Ranchi to Jharkhand Orissa Border near Birmitrapur via Gumla.	Declared as NH vide notification dated 7th March, 1972.
4.	31	Barhi to Jharkhand Bihar Border near Rajauli.	Declared as NH vide notification dated 4th April, 1957.
5.	32	Junction With NH-2 near Gobindpur-Dhanbad to Chandil on NH-33 and Mango to Pardih linking Jamshedpur.	Declared as NH vide notification dated 10th April, 1958.
6.	33	Junction With NH-2 near Barhi-Ranchi and upto Junction With NH-6 near Baharagora.	Declared as NH vide notification dated 4th April, 1957.
7.	Extn. of 75	Uttar Pradesh-Jharkhand Border to Ranchi terminating on NH-33 via Garwa Daltan ganj.	Declared as NH vide notification dated 12th October, 2000.
8.	78	Madhya Pradesh Bihar Border to Gumla.	Declared as NH vide notification dated 6th January, 1999.

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9.	80	Bihar-Jharkhand Border upto Jharkhand West Bengal Boarder near Farakka.	Declared as NH <i>vide</i> notification dated 6th January, 1999.
10.	98	Bihar-Jharkhand Border to Dalton ganj terminating its junction near Rajhara on NH-75.	Declared as NH <i>vide</i> notification dated 12th October, 2000.
11.	99	Bihar-Jharkhand Border to Chandwa terminating on NH-75 connecting Chatra and Balumat.	Declared as NH <i>vide</i> notification dated 12th October, 2000.
12.	100	From Chatra on NH-99 and connecting Simiria-Hazaribagh-Vishnugarh and terminating its junction near Bagodar on NH-2.	Declared as NH <i>vide</i> notification dated 12th October, 2000.