

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-3919
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GREEN TECHNOLOGIES USED IN CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS

3919 DR. KANIMOZHI NVN SOMU:

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

- (a) whether state-of-the-art and green technologies are being used in the construction of roads across the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the States which are likely to get immediate benefits under the new Economic Corridor Projects; and
- (d) the total number of plants which have been geotagged till date with the help of 'Harit Path' Mobileapp?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) & (b) Ministry of Road Transport & Highways has taken several initiatives to promote use of state of the art and green technology in construction of National Highways. These include, use for waste materials/by-products/organic materials such as fly-ash, slag, crumb rubber, modified bitumen, waste plastic, recycled aggregates, geosynthetics, jute, coir, etc. and processes like recycling, cement treated sub-base/ base, soil stabilisation, etc.

(c) All States in the country are likely to get benefit under Bharatmala Pariyojana.

(d) 183.34 lakh trees have been geotagged with the help of "Harit Path" mobile app.
