GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS **RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1849** ANSWERED ON 07/08/2024

EXPANSION OF NATIONAL HIGHWAY NETWORK

1849. SHRI NARHARI AMIN: DR. DINESH SHARMA:

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

(a) the quantum of increase in terms of kilometers of highways being built per day since 2019; and

(b) the detail of expansion of National Highway network since 2019?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) The pace of construction of National Highways (NHs) has increased from about 28 km/day in 2019-20 to about 34 km/day in 2023-24.

(b) The total length of NH network in the country has increased from about 1,32,500 km in March, 2019 to about 1,46,000 in March, 2024.
