

Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title : Demand to provide road connectivity between Vathirairuppu of Virudhunagar district to Varusanadu of Theni district.

***SHRI DHANUSH M. KUMAR (TENKASI):** Hon. Chairman Sir, Vanakkam. Thank you for this opportunity. In my Tenkasi constituency, people are making use of a mountainous route to go from Vathirairuppu of Virudhunagar district to Varusanadu of Theni district. Theni district authorities have already laid roads in this area between Varusanadu to Kodikkulam kudisai. But for a stretch of 4 kms, there is no road connectivity between Kodikkulam kudisai and Kulavakkal dam. I urge upon the Union Government to ensure providing this road connectivity as this will help to reduce the travelling distance between Virudhunagar and Theni districts will be reduced by atleast 50 kms. Not only that, once laid, this road will become the shortest route to connect with important ports of our country like Cochin and Tuticorin. Moreover this will help in industrial growth of Virudhunagar district as this area has been lagging behind in this sector as of now. I urge upon the Union Government to complete this project in providing road connectivity in this area. Thank you.