

Need to construct an underpass on NH-52 at Palasner village in Dhule district, Maharashtra - laid

DR. HEENA VIJAYKUMAR GAVIT (NANDURBAR): Palasner Village in Shirpur Taluka of Dhule district is a tribal dominated area and NH-52 which runs from Mumbai to Agra also passes through this village. Palasner is the main market centre for residents of Shirpur taluka due to the presence of a bus stop and weekly market. NH-52 stretch under Palasner village has witnessed an increase in number of accidents resulting in loss of life and property. As per data, nearly 30 people have died and over 50 were injured due to accidents on this stretch. The core reason for increase in such accidents have been attributed to the absence of an underpass on National Highway due to which people use short cut by attempting to cross the highway which witnesses heavy traffic and speeding vehicles. There have been multiple incidents of accident while crossing the road and therefore there is an urgent need to construct an underpass at Palasner village. I request the Government to kindly construct an underpass on NH-52 stretch falling under Palasner Village in order to provide a safe passage to the people and reduce the number of accidents.