

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2339
ANSWERED ON:06.08.2003
CONDITION OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS IN MAHARASHTRA
SADASHIVRAO DADOBA MANDLIK

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

- (a) whether the Government are aware of the bad condition of National Highways in Maharashtra;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the total amount spent during the year 2002-03 on the maintenance and upkeep of National Highways in State alongwith the names of places where the said amount has been spent;
- (d) whether the said amount has been spent properly; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

- (a): National Highways in Maharashtra are maintained in traffic worthy condition.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c): Total amount spent during the year 2002-03 on maintenance and development on National Highways of Maharashtra is Rs.167.03 crore. This amount has been spent on different National Highways in Maharashtra.
- (d): Yes, Sir.
- (e): Does not arise.