

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4775  
ANSWERED ON:27.04.2005  
FOUR LANING OF NATIONAL HIGHWAY NUMBER 3  
Gehlot Shri Thaawar Chand

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

- (a) whether the Government is considering any action plan for four-laning of National Highway Number 3, known as Agra-Mumbai Highway between Gwalior and Devas;
- (b) if so, the outlines of the above action plan;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Government also proposes to construct a by-pass for Shajapur city falling on National Highway Number 3, a bridge on Lakhunder river between Shajapur and Makshi and a railway overbridge on Makshi railway crossing; and
- (e) if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

- (a) to (c): The present traffic in Gwalior-Dewas section of NH-3 is inadequate for four laning in the entire stretch.
- (d) & (e): The State Government was requested to submit proposals for Shajapur Bypass from km 507/4 to km 517/4 alongwith bridge on Lakhunder river at Km 521/6,10 and bridge on Kalisindh river at km 483/10 on BOT basis. The proposals are yet to be received. The construction of the proposed R.O.B. at Maksi is to be taken up in the Annual Plan 2005-06, depending on the inter-se priority and availability of funds. It is too early to indicate any time frame for these works.