

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

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SIX LANING OF NH NOS. 24 AND 58

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

- (a) whether the Government is contemplating to convert National Highway Nos. 24 and 58 into six lanes to decongest these highways;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has reviewed the condition of the above highways;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the repair work of these highways has been carried out during the last three years and current year; and
- (f) if so, the year-wise total amount spent on their repair work so far?

Answer

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

(a) and (b) Only the stretch from Delhi to Meerut of NH-58 is proposed for six laning.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. The condition of the above Highways is monitored and reviewed periodically and the National Highways are kept in traffic worthy condition within the available resources.

(e) Yes, Sir.

(f) The year-wise amount spent on repair work of NH-24 and NH-58 is given below:

NH No.	Expenditure on repair work carried out during last three years (Rs. in lakhs)			Expenditure on repair work carried out during current year so far (Rs. in lakh)	Total (Rs. lakhs)
	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	
24	435.36	1129.48	1916.59	225.11	3736.54
58	608.47	592.63	898.07	584.92	2684.09