

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

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SETTING UP OF TRAFFIC SIGNALS ON NATIONAL HIGHWAYS
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the requisite number of traffic signals have been set up on the national highways in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the measures taken to keep these signals functional;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to replace the existing traffic signals on the national highways in the country particularly in Madhya Pradesh by signals set up on international routes; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): National Highways are designed as Signal free facilities by providing properly designed intersections. Signals in urban/semi urban areas are sometimes provided by the local bodies on National Highways.

(c) & (d): There are no proposals for replacing signals on National Highways in the country by this Ministry. No proposals have been submitted by the State Government of Madhya Pradesh.