

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

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UPGRADATION OF NH -215
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the estimated cost of upgradation, improvement and widening of National Highway No. 215 passing through Jaipur, Keonjhar and Sundargarh districts of Orissa;
- (b) the funds allocated and spent therefrom on the project; and
- (c) the target date set for the completion and progress made so far?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) The development of National Highway No. 215 passing through Jajpur, Keonjhar and Sundargarh districts of Orissa has entrusted to National Highway Authority of India under National Highway Development Project phase IIIA (NHDP IIIA) on Build, Operate and Transfer (BOT) basis. The work of detailed project report is in advance stage of completion. It is too early to indicate the estimated cost of the project and allocation of funds. Overall completion of the project is envisaged by December, 2009.