

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

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NATIONAL HIGHWAYS BY-PASS IN ASSAM
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of proposals formulated/being implemented for construction of various National Highways by-pass in Assam during the Tenth Five Year Plan;
- (b) the details of allocations made, amount released, and utilized so far; and
- (c) the current status of scheme for construction of National Highways by-pass at North Lakhimpur and Tinsukhia of Assam along with specific alignment finalized, total outlay, year-wise target and allocation made?

Answer

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

- (a) At present, only the construction of Karimganj bypass on NH-44 in Assam is under implementation. However, three more bypasses i.e. around the towns of Nagaon on NH-37, Daboka and Lanka on NH- 54 have been identified under East-West corridor of NHDP for their implementation during the Tenth Five Year Plan.
- (b) An amount of Rs.7.15 crore has already been utilized on the construction of Karimganj bypass.
- (c) The construction of bypasses around the towns of North Lakhimpur and Tinsukhia is not envisaged at present.