

an>

Title: Need to construct an eight lane new bridge at Ghodbunder near Mumbai.

SHRI CHINTAMAN NAVASHA WANGA (PALGHAR): National Highway No. 8 is having heavy traffic. The Highway goes through Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab, Haryana, Delhi, Rajasthan, Gujarat and Maharashtra. Due to heavy traffic, this 6-lane Highway is now proposed to be converted to eight lane. But at Ghodbunder near Mumbai, the existing overbridge is old one constructed in 1971. This bridge is used for heavy vehicles. As per my information, this bridge used for more than hundred tonne vehicles. Last year this bridge was repaired but within one year this bridge was damaged and now work of repairing is going on. Government has built up new bridge some years back but it is only for two lane. New bridge for eight lane vehicles is necessary. Therefore, I request the Government to build a eight lane bridge at Ghodbunder immediately.