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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS
(S&R(P&B) Section)
Transport Bhawan, 01, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110 001

Dated: 22nd September, 2022

To,

1. The Chairperson, National Highways Authority of India (NHAI), G-5&6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Dethi-110075.
2. The Managing Director, National Highway Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd., 3 floor, PTI Building, Parliament Street, New Dethi-110001.
3. All Engineers-in-Chief and Chief Engineers of Public Works Department of States/ UTs dealing with National Highways, other centrally sponsored schemes.
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Subject:-Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture- Action Taken Replies on recommendations /observations contained (Para 92 of the 317th Report) -Necessary Direction/advisory to tackle the problem of stray cattle and other animals trespassing National Highways.

Madam/Sir,

The Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture recommends that *"urgent steps may be taken in coordination with concerned local authorities to tackle the problem of stray cattle and other animals trespassing National Highways posing tremendous security risk to the passengers, especially women, seniors and children, besides causing hindrance on the smooth flow of traffic on NHs. Barriers may be erected to prevent stray cattle and other animals from coming onto NHs in stretches where this problem is faced frequently. Other possible solutions may be looked into to minimize such incidents across the entire NH network in the country so as to make NH travel safer and free-flowing for all passengers"*.

In this context, it is requested to kindly provide comments/suggestions to frame guidelines in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

(A.K. Kushwaha)

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For Director General (Road Development) & SS

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1. The Secretary General, Indian Roads Congress.
2. All CEs in the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways.
3. Ministry of Defence, D (BR-I), B wing, 4th Floor, Sena Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
4. Technical Circular file of S&R (R) Section.
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