



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

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A-5, Sector-62  
Noida-201301

F. No. RW/NH- 33044/49/2015/S&R (R)

Dated: the 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2016

To,

1. All Engineers-in-Chief and Chief Engineers of Public Works Department of States/ UTs dealing with National Highways, other centrally sponsored schemes.
2. The Director General (Border Roads), Seema Sadak Bhawan, Ring Road, New Delhi-110 010.
3. The Chairman, National Highways Authority of India, G-5 & 6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi-110 075.
4. The Managing Director, NHIDCL, PTI Building, New Delhi-110001

**Subject: Use of rubber/polymer modified bitumen on NHs and other centrally sponsored schemes**

Ministry vide its circular no. RW/NH-33041/3/2001-S&R dated 13-06-2002 had stipulated that modified bitumen may be adopted in surfacing for whole length of National Highways, subject to its availability and also sought performance reports on their use every six months. However, currently no updated information regarding their use is available with this Ministry.

2. It may also be mentioned that the Ministry has received several Parliament questions, representations, PMO/VIP references regarding the use of modified bitumen and it becomes difficult to reply to them in absence of feedback from implementing agencies i.e. State PWDs/NHAI/BRO etc.

3. In view of the above, it is requested that feedback on performance along with the relevant details for last three years may be submitted to the Ministry on the email address: [ami.yanshu@nic.in](mailto:ami.yanshu@nic.in) by 01<sup>st</sup> March, 2016, positively in the Proforma given below:

Sl. No	Year	Kilometres approved (length)	Kilometres completed (length)	Type of modifier used	Performance evaluation on pavement condition	Additional remarks, if any

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5. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

*Amiyanshu*  
18/02/16  
(Amiyanshu)

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For Director General (Road Development) & SS

Copy to the following for providing the feedback at the earliest:

1. CE(P-1)/ CE(P-2)/ CE(P-3)/ CE(P-4)/ CE(P-5)/ CE(P-6)/ CE(P-7)/ CE(NER)/ CE(NHDP-IV)/ CE(LWE)
2. All ROs and ELOs of the Ministry
3. Technical circular file of S&R (R) Section
4. NIC-for uploading on Ministry's website under "What's new"

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