

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PLANNING
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1061
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BHARAT NIRMAN YOJANA
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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has drawn any policy for the development of Rural masses of Assam and other North-Eastern States under the Bharat Nirman Yojana;
- (b) if so, the salient features thereof alongwith the approved cost of projects thereunder, State-wise; and
- (c) the time by which the same is likely to be implemented?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI M.V. RAJASEKHARAN)

(a) & (c): With a view to build rural infrastructure the four year Bharat Nirman programme was launched in 2005-06 covering the entire country including Assam and other North Eastern states. The six components of Bharat Nirman are irrigation, road, rural housing, rural water supply, rural electrification and rural telecommunication connectivity. The agenda for Bharat Nirman include ongoing programmes and up scaling of some of the ongoing programmes.

(b): The Statewise details of projects and funds allocated to the North Eastern states during the current year 2005-06 (first year of Bharat Nirman) are in Annexures I & II respectively.

Annexure I

Enclosure to the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no 1061 on Bharat Nirman Yojana raised by Shri M.K.Subba, due for answer on 1.3.06

Bharat Nirman Physical Targets for various components for North Eastern States for 2005-06

Sl No	State	Roads	Housing	Drinking Water	Electrification
		(in km)	(in km)	in No`s	in No`s

1	Arunachal Pr.	162.500	0	22	4603	397	
2	Assam	605.852	0	421	101790	1871	
3	Manipur	100.000	0	11	3996	133	
4	Meghayala	123.609	0	35	6959	348	
5	Mizoram	82.746	0	12	1483	130	
6	Nagaland	93.318	0	9	4605	64	
7	Sikkim	75.031	0	22	881	71	
8	Tripura	94.774	0	66	8967	425	
	Total	1337.830	0.000	598	133284	3439	Nil

Note

(i) NE states are not covered under the 10,366 villages to be electrified in 2005-06

(ii) For irrigation only the country target under Bharat Nirman is firmed up i.e.1.90 m.ha.

(iii) In Telephone the total villages to be covered in Assam under Bharat Nirman is 8931 against which is 2366 villages have been covered till December 2005

(iv) In other NE States the total telephones to be covered under Bharat Nirman is 3678 against which 107 have been covered till December 2005

Annexure II

Enclosure to the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no 1061 on Bharat Nirman Yojana raised by Shri M.K.Subba, due for answer on 1.3.06

Bharat Nirman Financial Allocations for various components for North Eastern States for 2005-06

Sl State Roads Housing Drinking Electrification Irrigation
No Water
PMGSY IAY ARWSP RGGVY AIBP

1	Arunachal Pr.	52.00	9.49	90.60	20.00
2	Assam	176.00	209.94	152.80	35.00
3	Manipur	28.00	8.24	31.10	86.78
4	Meghalaya	40.00	14.35	35.83	4.00
5	Mizoram	27.00	3.06	25.69	10.00
6	Nagaland	25.00	9.50	26.37	8.00
7	Sikkim	25.00	1.82	10.83	1.50
8	Tripura	35.00	18.49	31.78	35.5
	Total	408.00	274.89	405.00	Nil 200.83

Note:

(i) RGGVY is demand driven. Hence no normal allocations.

(ii) Telephone: Being provided using the USO Fund. Rs 39 lakhs released to N.E. states in 2005-06

PMGSY: Prime Minister Gram Sadak Yojana

IAY: Indira Awaas Yojana

ARWSP: Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme

RGGVY: Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidhyutikaran Yojana

AIBP: Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme

USO Fund: Universal Service Obligation Fund