

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:758

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PMGSY

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the allocation made for connecting the villages having population of more than one thousand in all the States including Maharashtra with main roads under PMGSY;

(b) the criteria fixed for it; and

(c) the number of villages connected with main roads so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA PATIL)

(a) The unit for coverage under PMGSY is `Habitation` and not `Village`. The basic objective of the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is to provide good all- weather road connectivity, to unconnected rural habitations with a population of 500 persons and above (250 persons and above in the case of Hill States, Desert and Tribal

(Schedule-V) Areas). State-wise allocation of funds for 2004-05 under PMGSY, including Maharashtra, is given in Annexure.

(b) The allocation to the States/Union Territories is based on, inter-alia, a weightage of 75% for Need (share of Unconnected Habitations in the total unconnected Habitations of the country) and 25% on Coverage (share of connected Habitations in the total connected Habitations of the country).

(c) 20,288 habitations of 1000+, 10,228 habitations of 500+ and 3456 habitations of 250+ population are covered as a result of proposals cleared till February, 2005 under PMGSY.

Annexure

Statement referred in reply to part (a) of reply to the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 758 due for reply on 4-3-2005. Allocation of funds under the PMGSY for 2004-05

States/UTs Annual Allocation
(Rs. in crores)

1 Andhra Pradesh	90.00
2 Arunachal Pradesh	35.00
3 Assam	75.00
4 Bihar	150.00
5 Chattisgarh	87.00
6 Goa	5.00
7 Gujarat	50.00
8 Haryana	20.00
9 Himachal Pradesh	60.00
10 Jammu & Kashmir	20.00
11 Jharkhand	110.00
12 Karnataka	95.00
13 Kerala	20.00
14 Madhya Pradesh	213.00
15 Maharashtra	130.00
16 Manipur	20.00
17 Meghalaya	35.00
18 Mizoram	20.00
19 Nagaland	20.00
20 Orissa	175.00
21 Punjab	25.00
22 Rajasthan	130.00
23 Sikkim	20.00
24 Tamil Nadu	80.00
25 Tripura	25.00
26 Uttar Pradesh	315.00
27 Uttaranchal	60.00
28 West Bengal	135.00

29	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	5.00
30	Dadra & Nicobar Haveli	5.00
31	Daman & Diu	5.00
32	Delhi	5.00
33	Lakshdweep	5.00
34	Pondicherry	5.00

TOTAL 2250.00