

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS UNDER PMGSY  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the total number of roads constructed under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) in Himachal Pradesh during the year 2013-2014 along with the number of roads proposed to be constructed thereunder for the year 2014-15;
- (b) whether the said roads are in a dilapidated condition;
- (c) if so, whether any central maintenance committee has been constituted to ensure the timely repair of such roads; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BIRENDER SINGH)

- (a) As reported by State of Himachal Pradesh, total no. of 110 road projects were constructed under PMGSY during the year 2013-14 and total number of 100 road projects are targeted to be constructed during the year 2014-15.
- (b) to (d) Maintenance of rural roads being state subject is the responsibility of the concerned state. As per PMGSY guidelines, the responsibility for construction as well as post construction 5 year maintenance of constructed/upgraded roads lies with same contractor. The state has reported that the roads constructed under PMGSY are being maintained in accordance with conditions of contract and maintenance of roads after completion of contract is being taken up as per annual maintenance plan of the State.