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Title : Need to take up construction work and widening of rural roads and strengthening its infrastructure under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana in Bhiwani-Mahendragarh Parliamentary Constituency, Haryana.

SHRIMATI SHRUTI CHOUDHRY (BHIWANI-MAHENDRAGARH): I would like to draw the attention of the House regarding the dire need to take up rural roads for construction, widening and strengthening and its related infrastructure under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) in my Parliamentary Constituency Bhiwani-Mahendergarh (Haryana) during 2012-13 on top-priority basis.

I have already sent some proposals in the past 3 years for construction of link roads in my Parliamentary Constituency areas like - Bhiwani, Tosham, Dadri, Loharu and Badhra in Bhiwani District and Mahendergarh, Narnaul, Ateli & Nangal Chaudhary in Mahendergarh District to take up these proposals under PMGSY. But it seems, these proposals were not considered in Phase-X of PMGSY in Haryana during 2010, 2011 or 2012 until rest of the States in the Union measure up to the performance. In this scenario, Haryana is being doubly jeopardized because on the one hand, Haryana is one of the largest contributors in our country in terms of sale of petro products and cess collected for PMGSY projects and, on the other hand, Haryana is deprived for outstanding performance vis-à-vis other States in completion/implementation of the sanctioned projects. Thousands of local people in the respective areas are facing lot of difficulties to move from one village to another especially students, employees, farmers and defence personnel, etc.

Therefore, I request the Hon'ble Minister for Rural Development, through the Chair, to kindly include the proposals under PMGSY in Haryana, particularly in backward and remote districts like Bhiwani-Mahendergarh by changing the stance in the current financial year with sufficient budgetary allocation, which were already sent, in order to achieve the desired results and to realize the dream of Bharat Nirman Programme, which is the very objective of PMGSY.