

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3785
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05/04/2023

VILLAGES CONNECTED UNDER PMGSY

3785. SHRI VIJAY PAL SINGH TOMAR:

Will the Minister of Rural Development be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of villages with population of 250 or more that have been connected by road so far and the number of villages yet to be connected by road under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY), State/UT-wise; and
- (b) whether any time limit and target has been fixed to connect the remaining villages by road and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

(a) & (b) The unit for connectivity under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana-I (PMGSY-I) is 'Habitation' and not a Revenue Village or Gram Panchayat. As reported by the State Governments/UTs, a total of **1,56,421 habitations** of population size 250+ & 500+ as per census, 2001 have been connected under PMGSY-I as on 30th March 2023 and **861 habitations** are yet to be connected as per State/UT-wise details given in **Annexure-I**. All projects under PMGSY-I, which envisaged connectivity to unconnected habitations, were targeted for completion by September 2022.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred to in part (a) & (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3785 for 05.04.2023

Details of State-wise habitations connected and yet to be connected under PMGSY (250+ & 500+ population habitations) as on 30th March 2023

Sl. No.	State /UT	Total Connected Habitations (Nos.)	Balance Habitations to be Connected (Nos.)
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	7	0
2	Andhra Pradesh	1,224	10
3	Arunachal Pradesh	597	44
4	Assam	13,708	13
5	Bihar	29,785	231
6	Chhattisgarh	9,587	149
7	Gujarat	3,048	0
8	Haryana	1	0
9	Himachal Pradesh	2,510	53
10	Jammu and Kashmir	2,096	45
11	Jharkhand	9,541	0
12	Karnataka	296	0
13	Kerala	402	2
14	Madhya Pradesh	17,518	11
15	Maharashtra	1,340	7
16	Manipur	617	35
17	Meghalaya	497	105
18	Mizoram	231	1
19	Nagaland	98	11
20	Odisha	15,304	23
21	Punjab	389	0
22	Rajasthan	15,976	0
23	Sikkim	346	4
24	Tamil Nadu	1,985	0
25	Tripura	1,965	40
26	Uttar Pradesh	11,748	1
27	Uttarakhand	1,836	30
28	West Bengal	13,110	45
29	Telangana	595	0
30	Ladakh	64	1
	Total:	1,56,421	861
