

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 749
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08/02/2023

CLOSURE OF PMGSY SCHEME

749 SHRI K.R.N. RAJESHKUMAR:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the PMGSY scheme is closed since September 2022;
- (b) if so, the reasons for the closure of PMGSY Scheme;
- (c) whether the Ministry is considering to implement any other new scheme like PMGSY for the betterment of people; and
- (d) if so, the details of the Scheme, if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) There are four (04) ongoing interventions/verticals under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY), viz. PMGSY-I, PMGSY-II, Road Connectivity Project for Left wing Extremism Affected Areas (RCPLWEA) and PMGSY-III. In terms of the approval of the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) dated 9th August, 2018, the time-line for completion of PMGSY-I and PMGSY-II was upto March, 2019 and March, 2020 respectively. The implementation period for RCPLWEA was upto March, 2020. On the requests of the State Governments/UTs, the time-line for completion of PMGSY-I and PMGSY-II was extended upto September, 2022 and that for RCPLWEA upto March, 2023.

The implementation period for PMGSY-III is upto March, 2025.

'Rural Roads' is a state subject, there is no proposal as of now to implement any other new scheme like PMGSY.
