GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 621 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29/11/2024

IMPLEMENTATION OF PMGSY PHASE IV IN WEST BENGAL

621 SHRI SAMIK BHATTACHARYA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details on the implementation of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) Phase IV in West Bengal, including the total kilometres of road sanctioned and constructed;
- (b) the breakdown of the length of road sanctioned and completed under PMGSY Phase IV in West Bengal, district-wise;
- (c) the timeline for the completion of remaining road projects under this phase in the State; and
- (d) any specific challenges or obstacles faced in the implementation of PMGSY Phase IV in West Bengal?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI KAMLESH PASWAN)

(a) to (d): The Government has recently approved the Phase IV of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) on 11th September, 2024 to provide all-weather connectivity to eligible 25,000 unconnected rural habitations as per Census 2011. The timeline for completion of PMGSY-IV is March 2029.

The survey for eligible unconnected habitations is being carried out by the States with the use of Gram Sadak Survey App. To address any type of challenges, the Ministry is coordinating closely with the State Governments and providing the required assistance. Regular review meetings are being held to ensure timely execution of projects under Phase IV of PMGSY.
