

Government of India
Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1477

To be answered on

Thursday, February 12, 2026/ 23 Magha, 1947 (Saka)

QUESTION

Execution of Projects under PM-DevINE

1477 # Shri Rajib Bhattacharjee:

Shri Kanad Purkayastha:

Will the Minister of **Development of North Eastern Region** be pleased to state:

- (a) the Prime Minister's Development Initiative for North East Region (PM-DevINE) projects that were sanctioned and grounded during the last year, State-wise including Tripura;
- (b) the physical and financial progress achieved against approved timelines;
- (c) whether delays have occurred due to finalisation of Detailed Project Reports (DPRs), land acquisition or State capacity constraints;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) how third-party monitoring and outcome verification are being conducted; and
- (f) the corrective actions taken in under-performing projects?

ANSWER

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region
[Dr. Sukanta Majumdar]

- (a) & (b) Since its inception in October 2022, and till 31.01.2026, a total of 48 projects worth Rs. 6044.36 crore, including 4 projects worth Rs. 561.00 crore for Tripura, have been sanctioned under the PM-DevINE Scheme for the North Eastern Region. During the financial year 2024-25, a total of 12 projects worth Rs. 948.26 crore were sanctioned under the

scheme, state-wise details of which along with their physical and financial progress are given at **Annexure**.

(c) to (f) Projects under the PM-DevINE Scheme are sanctioned through a structured appraisal and approval process as laid down in the scheme guidelines. To facilitate timely sanction and implementation of the projects, the Ministry has streamlined appraisal, approval, and fund-release processes through web-based systems. The Poorvottar Vikas Setu (PVS) Portal enables online submission and tracking of project proposals, as well as consultation with line Ministries. Further, the framework has been rationalised enabling single-stage appraisal and approval of the project proposals.

Under the PM-DevINE Scheme, projects are conceptualized and executed by the concerned State Governments/Implementing Agencies (IAs), and the primary responsibility for execution and monitoring rest with them. The Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (MDoNER)/North Eastern Council (NEC) monitors the progress of projects through periodic progress reports, review meetings, and field inspections.

Project Quality Monitors (PQM) and Third-Party Technical Inspection Agencies (TPTIs) have been engaged for third-party monitoring of the projects. In addition, Field Technical Support Units (FTSUs) have been established in all eight North Eastern States to assist implementing agencies, resolve bottlenecks, and facilitate timely execution. Further, scheme evaluation by the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Shillong also contributed to independent assessment of the scheme.

Through the structured monitoring and oversight mechanisms, the Ministry brings attention to the State Governments/Other Agencies and implementing agencies of the projects requiring additional attention to ensure timely and quality implementation of projects under the PM-DevINE Scheme.

ANNEXURE

Annexure to Part (a) & (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1477 for answer on
12.02.2026 – regarding "Execution of Projects under PM-DevINE"

State-wise details of PM-DevINE projects sanctioned and grounded during financial year 2024-25, along with the physical and financial progress (As on 31.1.2026)

Sl. No.	State/ Agency	Project	Sanction Date	Sanctioned Cost (₹ crore)	Physical Progress	Financial Progress
1	Arunachal Pradesh	Establishment of State Cancer Institute at Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh	13.06.2024	217.19	44%	49%
2	Nagaland	Educational Infrastructure/ Facility Development in Polytechnics	13.06.2024	30.00	92%	93%
3	Nagaland	Upgradation of the Radiation Oncology Facility at CIHSR, Dimapur, Nagaland	13.06.2024	34.50	60%	56%
4	Meghalaya	Development of Skywalk and Tourist hub at Mawkdok, Sohra, Meghalaya	29.10.2024	50.90	10%	24.67%
5	Meghalaya	Gap funding for Passenger Ropeway project at Shillong Peak, Shillong, Meghalaya	09.01.2025	70.11	3%	25%
6	Sikkim	Gap funding for Construction of Government Medical College at Sichey, East Sikkim for Annual intake of 100 Students	25.11.2024	167.9	99%	100%

7	Manipur	Infrastructure Development of Dhanmanjuri University, Thangmeiband, Imphal, West Manipur	13.06.2024	70.00	60%	46%
8	Manipur	Providing super speciality and assured speciality health care in remote and hill districts (Infrastructure & Equipment) in Manipur	20.11.2024	104.66	23.2%	11.31%
9	Manipur	Infrastructure Development of University of Culture at Wakha, Imphal East, Manipur	24.09.2024	31.19	78%	61%
10	BBCI*	Establishment of a Skill Development Centre at Dr. B. Borooah Cancer Institute (BBCI), Guwahati, Assam	13.06.2024	35.12	7%	10.36%
11	NEHHDC**	Establishment of an Artist's Village for promotion of the world's most unique Pottery Art Form Longpi Black Pottery of Manipur	24.06.2024	35.74	10%	22.58%
12	IICA***	Establishment of a regional campus of Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA)	05.03.2025	100.95	0%	0%

*BBCI-Dr. Bhubaneswar Borooah Cancer Institute.

**NEHHDC- North Eastern Handicrafts & Handlooms Development Corporation Ltd.

***IICA- Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs.
