

Government of India
Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2911

To be answered on

Thursday, August 13, 2026/ 22 Shravana, 1948 (Saka)

QUESTION

Strengthening infrastructure in Tripura

2911 # **Shri Rajib Bhattacharjee:**

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

- (a) whether projects related to health, education, drinking water and other public infrastructure under the North Eastern Special Infrastructure Development Scheme (NESIDS) – Other than Road Infrastructure (OTRI) have been approved in Tripura during the last five years;
- (b) if so, the details of approved projects, allocated and released funds, expenditure and current progress;
- (c) whether any proposals of the Tripura Government are pending; and
- (d) the steps taken for prompt implementation of pending and ongoing projects?

ANSWER

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

[Dr. Sukanta Majumdar]

(a) to (c) During the last five financial years (FY), i.e, from FY 2021-22 to FY 2025-26, a total of 14 projects costing ₹464.69 crore have been sanctioned in Tripura under the North Eastern Special Infrastructure Development Scheme (NESIDS) – Other than Road Infrastructure (OTRI). The details of the approved projects, sector, sanctioned cost, expenditure and current progress, are at **Annexure-I**. Further, no proposal, received during the last five years, from the State Government of Tripura under NESIDS (OTRI), is pending with the Ministry.

(d) The Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (MDoNER) has taken several steps to ensure monitoring and timely completion of projects sanctioned by the Ministry in North Eastern Region (NER). The Ministry has engaged Field Level Technical Support Unit (FTSU) in all 8 NER States, inter-alia including Tripura, to interact with State Planning Departments and also the project implementing agencies, to maintain and update database of the MDoNER projects, inter-alia, including NESIDS (OTRI) projects; to submit regular progress reports and provide feedback to MDoNER about the execution of projects. The FTSUs also carry out the field inspection of projects sanctioned under the Schemes of MDoNER, inter-alia, including NESIDS (OTRI) projects.

In addition, the projects are periodically monitored and inspected by the officials of MDoNER and North Eastern Council (NEC). Regular review meetings are conducted by the Ministry with the State Governments of NER to review the progress of implementation of projects. The Project Quality Monitors/Third Party Technical Inspection Agencies (PQM/TPTI) have also been engaged to strengthen the monitoring mechanism of the MDoNER.

ANNEXURE-I**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (c) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2911 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE RAJYA SABHA ON 13th AUGUST, 2026 REGARDING “STRENGTHENING INFRASTRUCTURE IN TRIPURA”****The details of the approved projects, sector, sanctioned cost, expenditure and physical progress in Tripura under NESIDS (OTRI)****(Rs. in crore)**

S. No.	Project Name	Sector	Sanctioned Cost	Physical Progress (%)	Total Expenditure
1	Medical Infrastructures Strengthening for COVID-19 component by arrangement of Medical Gas (Oxygen O2), pipeline with manifold System, Logistics (Test Kits) and X-ray machine with CR system in Tripura	Health	19.32	95	0.10
2	Construction of nine (9) 100 seated Hostel attached to the vidyajyoti schools under mission 100 in different district of Tripura	Education	7.90	60	5.93
3	Implementation of Educational Infrastructure related to IT Projects in 240 Schools across Tripura under NESIDS(OTRI)	Education	26.44	99	13.22
4	Infrastructure Development of six Higher Secondary School in various locations in Tripura	Education	50.50	88	32.15
5	Establishment of a Newborn Resource Development Centre and Upgradation of NICU & PICU at the Department of Paediatrics, AGMC, Tripura	Health	7.20	2	0.10
6	Tourism and Cultural Promotion Hub at Gandhighat Agartala West Tripura	Tourism and Culture	32.59	40	15.19
7	Re-conductoring of 132 KV Intra-State Transmission lines by High Tension Low HTLS conductor with allied accessories in Tripura	Power	49.01	99	49.01

8	Construction of new building for Khowai district hospital at Khowai, Tripura	Health	48.47	0	11.37
9	Development of Tourist Amenities in Sepahijala Zoological Park, Tripura	Tourism and Culture	57.28	0	-
10	Development of Amarsagar dighi at udaipur, Gomti District, Tripura	Tourism and Culture	39.50	0	9.27
11	Development of Tourism Infrastructure in Four Island in Dumbur Lake along with other facilities	Tourism and Culture	29.28	0	-
12	Establishment of 100 bedded Sepahijala district hospital at Bishramganj, Sepahijala Tripura	Health	47.00	0	-
13	Establishment of Sports infrastructure in Tripura	Sports	25.20	0	-
14	Procurement of FRP Speed Boats, FRP Electric Solar Boats and FRP Glass Bottom Boats including OBM along with Water Sports Items for different tourist destination of Tripura	Tourism and Culture	25.00	0	-
	TOTAL	-	464.69	-	136.34
Note: Physical progress & Expenditure is as on 31.07.2026					
