

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3061
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.08.2017

PROPOSALS RECEIVED FROM TELANGANA UNDER PMGSY

3061. SHRI GUTHA SUKENDER REDDY:
SHRI PRABHAKAR REDDY KOTHA:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposals from the Government of Telangana for release of funds under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard; and
- (d) the quantum of funds released to the State so far?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) to (d): 'Rural Roads' is a State subject and PMGSY is a one-time special intervention of the Government of India to provide rural connectivity, by way of a single all-weather road, to the eligible unconnected habitations in the core network. As per PMGSY programme guidelines, the funds for the sanctioned projects are made available to the States in two instalments (50% each).

The Annual Allocation for the year 2017-18 to Telangana is Rs. 338.33 crore, which includes Rs.135.33 crore as the State Share. The opening balance as on 1st April, 2017, as reported by the State, is Rs.467.73 crore. Since sufficient funds are available with the State for implementing the programme, no fund has been released, till date, to the State under PMGSY, during the financial year, 2017-18. This Ministry has not received any proposal from the State of Telangana, in the prescribed format as stipulated in PMGSY programme guidelines, for release of funds, under PMGSY, during current Financial Year 2017-18.
