## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 932 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2017

## WORK STALLED UNDER PMGSY

### 932. SHRI INNOCENT:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to strengthen the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether work under PMGSY has been stalled due to lack of funds as the contractors have deserted the work midway and left majority of roads in an incomplete and dilapidated condition due to non-payment of dues for the work and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of funds allocated to Kerala under PMGSY during 2017-18?

#### ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): For accelerated execution of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana(PMGSY), the Ministry of Rural Development in consultation with the Ministry of Finance and the State Governments, has formulated an Action Plan to substantially achieve the target of the Scheme early by March, 2019 in place of 2022 with adequate financial resources.

The fund sharing pattern of PMGSY has also been made in the ratio of 60:40 between the Centre and the States for all States except for 8 North Eastern and 3 Himalayan States for which it is to be 90:10. Accordingly, funds available to Kerala in the last two years and the current year are as follows:-

			(Rs.in crore)		
Year	Opening Balance (as on 1 <sup>st</sup> April)	Released by GoI	State Release	Total funds available	Expenditure
2015-16	11.01	151.00	101.00	263.01	160.16
2016-17	0.05	179.446	60.7206	240.2166	223.90
2017-18 (upto 18.12.2017)	55.96	29.105	Nil	85.065	107.26

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