GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3705 TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.07.2019

WIDENING OF RURAL ROADS IN A.P.

3705. SHRI BALASHOWRY VALLABHANENI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is true that as a part of100 days plan the Ministry proposes to rollout Phase-III of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) for strengthening and widening rural roads of 1.25 lakh kms length;
- (b) if so, the details and length of kms of rural roads in Andhra Pradesh to be taken up under Phase-III; and
- (c) the details of the expected expenditure involved and the blueprint that the Ministry has prepared for this purpose?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (c): The Government has approved phase-III of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) for consolidation of Through Routes and Major Rural Links connecting habitations, *inter-alia*, to Gramin Agricultural Markets (GrAMs), Higher Secondary Schools and Hospitals at an estimated cost of Rs. 80,250 crore. The Government is taking steps for implementation of phase-III of PMGSY.
