GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3730 TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2020

PMGSY IN UTTAR PRADESH

3730. SHRI RAJESH VERMA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether all the villages in Uttar Pradesh have been connected with roads properly under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) and if so, the details thereof, district-wise:
- (b) whether the Government is also considering to formulate a separate scheme for the maintenance of roads constructed under the above Yojana;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

- (a) The unit for Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is a Habitation and not a Revenue village or a Panchayat. Against 14,804 habitations of 250+, 500+ and 1000+ population size as per census, 2001, identified for coverage under PMGSY in the State of Uttar Pradesh, a total of 14,183 habitations has already been provided all-weather road connectivity, including 2,436 habitations connected by State out of their own resources, 619 habitations have been dropped and the remaining 2 habitations are at different stages of completion and connectivity. The district-wise details of all-weather road connectivity to eligible habitations under PMGSY are given at **Annexure**.
- (b) to (d) PMGSY roads are constructed by the State Governments with a design life of at least 10 years. As per PMGSY guidelines, maintenance of roads constructed under the programme is the responsibility of the State Governments and all road works are covered by initial five year maintenance contracts to be entered into along with the construction contract, with the same contractor, as per the Standard Bidding Document. Maintenance funds to service the contract are required to be budgeted by the State Governments and placed at the disposal of the State Rural Roads Development Agencies (SRRDAs) in a separate maintenance account. On expiry of this 5 year post construction maintenance, PMGSY roads are required to be placed under Zonal maintenance contracts consisting of 5 year maintenance including renewal as per cycle, from time to time.

Since 2016-17, financial incentives are given to top performing States, which show higher achievement in the year on the basis of predefined parameters. This incentive money is used by the States specifically for periodic maintenance of roads. As a measure of further enhancing the focus on maintenance of roads during the defect liability period and also streamline the delivery of routine maintenance of PMGSY roads, the Ministry has implemented the Electronic Maintenance of PMGSY roads (eMARG) in all the states. The eMARG is a GIS-based Enterprise e-Governance end to end solution, for performance evaluation of roads and payment to contractors for routine maintenance. This is being implemented in all States. 11 States out of 29 states, including Uttar Pradesh, are making maintenance related payments to contractors/agencies.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no 3730 for answer on 17.03.2020

		17.03.2020		
Sr. No.	District Name	Total Eligible Unconnected Habitations	Total connected	Balance unconnected habitations
1	Agra	330	321	0
2	Aligarh	191	185	0
3	Allahabad	226	219	0
4	Ambedkarnagar	231	216	0
5	Auraiya	165	154	0
6	Azamgarh	338	325	0
7	Badaun	319	304	0
8	Baghpat	27	27	0
9	Bahraich	247	232	0
10	Ballia	92	82	1
11	Balrampur	137	136	0
12	Banda	158	157	0
13	Barabanki	303	299	0
14	Bareilly	303	279	0
15	Basti	306	295	0
16	Bijnor	112	109	0
17	Bulandshahr	90	90	0
18	Chandauli	221	190	0
19	Chitrakoot	113	98	0
20	Deoria	140	134	0
21	Etah+Kasganj*	275	271	0
22	Etawah	198	179	0
23	Faizabad	183	180	0
24	Farrukhabad	239	224	0
25	Fatehpur	353	334	0
26	Firozabad	223	214	0
27	G.B. Nagar	78	78	0
28	Ghaziabad+Hapur*	97	97	0
29	Ghazipur	235	225	0
30	Gonda	182	172	0
31	Gorakhpur	218	204	0
32	Hamirpur	109	107	0
33	Hardoi	360	333	0
34	Hathras	154	151	0
35	J.B.F.Nagar	153	149	0
36	Jalaun	152	150	0
37	Jaunpur	303	263	0
38	Jhansi	148	145	0
39	Kannauj	224	223	0
40	Kanpur Dehat	272	264	0
41	Kanpur Nagar	215	201	0
42	Kaushambi	133	126	0

44	Lakhimpur-Kherii Lalitpur	372 129	362 125	0
46	Lucknow	209	203	0
47	Maharajganj	167	164	0
48	Mahoba	110	110	0
49	Mainpuri	191	182	0
50	Mathura	158	157	0
51	Mau	191	185	0
52	Meerut	94	93	0
53	Mirzapur	189	178	0
54	Moradabad	149	146	0
55	Muzaffarnagar+Shamli*	203	203	0
56	Pilibhit	194	189	0
57	Pratapgarh	368	363	0
58	Rae Bareli	274	270	0
59	Rampur	203	195	0
60	S.K. Nagar	145	140	0
61	S.R. Nagar(Bhadohi)	112	111	0
62	Saharanpur	122	119	0
63	Shahjahanpur	275	268	0
64	Shrawasti	196	178	0
65	Siddharathnagar	194	191	0
66	Sitapur	346	315	0
67	Sonebhadra	193	167	1
68	Sultanpur	335	327	0
69	Unnao	276	273	0
70	Varanasi	198	190	0
72	Sambhal	260	258	0
75	Amethi	165	158	0
Total		14,804	14,183	2

^{*} Figures of undivided district

Note: Balance 619 habitations have been dropped.