

Government of India
Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

Lok Sabha
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2685

To be answered on
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QUESTION
Projects under PM-DeVINE

2685. Shri Pradyut Bordoloi:

Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the projects sanctioned by the Government under the Prime Minister's Development Initiative for North Eastern Region (PM-DeVINE) since inception and the funds that have been earmarked for the same, year-wise;
- (b) the details of the amount of funds that have been earmarked for PM-DeVINE during the last three years against the amount of funds that have been actually sanctioned under the scheme for usage;
- (c) the details of the physical progress of ongoing projects and the originally intended dates for completion of the same; and
- (d) whether all projects under PM-DeVINE are to be completed by 2025-26 and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

[Dr.Sukanta Majumdar]

(a) & (b) Prime Minister's Development Initiative for North East Region (PM-DeVINE) was announced as a new Central Sector scheme, with 100% Central funding in the Union Budget 2022-23 with initial outlay of Rs.1500 crore. The Union Cabinet on 12 October 2022 approved the Scheme with a total outlay of Rs. 6600 crore for the period from FY 2022-23 to FY 2025-2026.

35 projects worth Rs. 4857.11 crore have been sanctioned under the Scheme up to 30.11.2024. The year-wise details of the projects sanctioned and funds released during the last three years are as under:

Year	Details of projects sanctioned		Funds released (Rs. In crore)
	No. of Projects	Cost of Projects (Rs. in crore)	
2022-23	7	646.06	121.19
2023-24	18	3437.27	7.78
2024-25 (till Nov. 2024)	10	773.78	540.29

(c) The details of these '35' projects with their physical progress and scheduled date of completion is at **Annexure**.

(d) Out of the 35 projects under the scheme, 28 projects have been sanctioned during the year 2023-24 and current year only. The usual time frame for completion of a project is 2 to 3 years after award of the work.

ANNEXURE AS REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) of RAJYA SABHA

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FOR ANSWER ON 11.12.2024 REGARDING “PROJECTS UNDER PM-DevINE”

S.No.	Name of the project	State Govt./Agency	Physical progress	Intended/ scheduled date of completion
1	Gap funding for Passenger Ropeway System from Pelling to Sanga-Choeling in West Sikkim - at the cost of Rs. 63.39 Crore (58%) of total cost of Rs.108.39 Crore	Sikkim	Work completed	NA
2	Gap funding for Eco-friendly Passenger Ropeway (Cable Car) from Dhapper to Bhaleydhunga in South Sikkim - at the cost of Rs. 57.82 Crore (28%) of total cost of Rs. 209.57 Crore	Sikkim	Work completed	NA
3	Pilot project for the construction of Bamboo Link Roads at different locations in various districts in the State of Mizoram - (i) Tuirial Airfield to North Chaltlang (18 km) at a cost of Rs. 33.58 Crore; and (ii) Lengpui to Saiphai Bamboo Plantation (41 km) at a cost of Rs. 66.42 crore	Mizoram	28%	31-01-2025
4	NECTAR Livelihood Improvement Project (Multi-State) - Utilization of Banana Pseudo Stem for Value-Added Products	NECTAR	32%	31-03-2025
5	Promoting Scientific Organic Agriculture in North-East India (Multi-State)	NECTAR	33%	16-02-2026
6	Livelihood projects relating to Special Development of Eastern Nagaland - (22 Nos.)	Nagaland	30%	31-12-2025
7	Transformation of 20 schools as Centre of Excellence in the Kamrup District	Assam	55%	30-11-2025
8	Establishment of Dedicated Services for the Management of Paediatric and Adult Haematolymphoid Cancers in North East India, Guwahati	BBCI Guwahati	8%	31-03-2026

9	Establishment of Solar Micro Grid for supply of reliable power to Remote Habitations in Tripura by Department of Power, Government of Tripura	Tripura	30%	31-12-2025
10	Development of Maa Kamakhya Access Corridor at Guwahati, Assam	Assam	Work has not started	31-03-2026
11	Construction of Medical College (100 Admissions) at Sivasagar District, Assam	Assam	Work has just started	31-03-2026
12	Construction of IT Park at Tura, West Garo Hills District	Meghalaya	23%	27-05-2027
13	Development of Infrastructure for Manipur Technical University (MTU), Imphal West District	Manipur	25%	25-01-2026
14	Establishment of 200 bedded MCH (Maternal & Child Health) wing at AGMC & GBP Hospital	Tripura	Work not awarded	NA
15	Setting up of Integrated Rehabilitation Centre for drug addicted.	Tripura	Work has just started	31-12-2025
16	Upgradation/widening of existing 2 lane road to 4 lane road connecting LGB International Airport – From VIP junction to Dharapur Junction, including (i) 4 lane grade separated junction at Dharapur (ii) 2 lane excess road from SOS junction to existing terminal building and (iii) 2 lane temporary exit from existing terminal building. (PWD)	Assam	28%	25-02-2026
17	Establishment of Dental College at Agartala	Tripura	Work not awarded	NA
18	Construction of new four-lane road and conversion of existing two-lane road into four-lane with cycling tracks, utility ducts, footpaths, etc. at New Shillong Township	Meghalaya	18%	14-07-2026
19	Development of Infrastructure of the Processing Zone of Manipur IT SEZ at Mantripukhri, Imphal	Manipur	2%	06-08-2026
20	Construction and Equipping of 60 Bedded State Mental Hospital in Manipur	Manipur	Work has not started	06-10-2026
21	Construction of Aizawl By-pass road on Western Side	Mizoram	Work has not started	24-11-2026
22	Proposal to set up a Digital Design and 3D Printing Center of Excellence in the Electronic Mfg. Cluster (EMC) in collaboration with other Govt Agencies at Tech City, Guwahati	AMTRON	99%	31-12-2024

23	Construction of 220/132 kV (2x100 MVA) & 132/33 kV (2x50 MVA) Sub-station at Tsitrongse-Dimapur with associated lines	Nagaland	13%	30-09-2026
24	Skywalk Project at Bhaleydhunga, Yangang in South Sikkim	Sikkim	13%	31-03-2026
25	Conversion of Singshore Bridge as a glass skywalk bridge for tourist attraction in West Sikkim	Sikkim	11%	31-03-2026
26	Establishment of State Cancer Institute at Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh	Arunachal Pradesh	Work has not started	31-12-2026
27	Infrastructure Development for Dhanamanjuri University (DMU)	Manipur	Work has not started	09-04-2026
28	Educational Infrastructure/facility Development in Polytechnics	Nagaland	25%	31-10-2025
29	Upgradation of the Radiation Oncology Centre at CIHSR	Nagaland	5%	01-12-2025
30	Establishment of a Skill Development Centre at Dr. B. Borooah Cancer Institute (BBCI), Guwahati, Assam	BBCI Guwahati	Work not awarded	NA
31	Establishment of an Artist's Village for promotion of world's most unique Pottery Art form Longpi Black Pottery of Manipur	NEHHDC	Work has not started	30-06-2026
32	Infrastructure development for Manipur University of Culture at Wakha, Imphal East.	Manipur	Work not awarded	NA
33	Development of Skywalk and Tourist hub at Mawkdok, Sohra	Meghalaya	Work not awarded	NA
34	Providing super speciality and assured specialty health care in remote and hill districts (Infrastructure & Equipment) in Manipur	Manipur	Work not awarded	NA
35	Gap funding for the Medical College at Sichey, East Sikkim for Annual Intake of 100 Students	Sikkim	Work not awarded	NA

AMTRON: Assam Electronics Development Corporation Ltd.

BBCI: Dr. Bhubaneswar Borooah Cancer Institute.

NECTAR: North East Centre for Technology Application & Reach

NEHHDC: North Eastern Handicrafts & Handlooms Development Corporation Limited
