

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 733
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29th November, 2024

CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS BY BRO IN PUNJAB

733. SHRI SUKHJINDER SINGH RANDHAWA:
SHRI SHER SINGH GHUBAYA:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the extent of construction of roads by the Border Roads Organisation (BRO) in areas adjoining Pakistan border in Punjab under the control of Border Security Force along with the distance after which the control of State Government of Punjab starts;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the details of roads constructed/proposed to be constructed by BRO in Punjab particularly in Gurdaspur, Pathankot during the last two years; and
- (c) the extent of area of Punjab including Gurdaspur, Pathankot and Ferozepur under the control of Border Roads Organisation?

A N S W E R

MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI SANJAY SETH)

(a): The roads in the Area of Responsibility (AoR) of Border Roads Organisation (BRO) in Punjab lie in the border districts of the state and total 338.5 kms in length. Jurisdictional control between the Border Security Force (BSF) and the State Government of Punjab, if any, is not maintained by this Ministry.

(b): The total length of roads constructed/proposed to be constructed by BRO in Punjab in the last two years is 123.4 kms, of which 29 kms is in the district of Pathankot as detailed below: -

Sl. No.	District	Name of road	Length (Km)	Status
Financial Year 2022-23 & 2023-24				
(a)	Pathankot	Parmanand-Taragarh-Kathlour-NJS-Parole	23.3	Completed
(b)	Pathankot	Paharpur-Simbal	5.7	Under Progress
(c)	Gurdaspur	NIL		

(c): The total length of roads under the Area of Responsibility of the Border Roads Organisation (BRO) in the State of Punjab including Gurdaspur, Pathankot and Ferozepur is 338.5 kms.
