

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4869
ANSWERED ON 01/04/2025**

IMPLEMENTATION OF PMGSY

4869. SHRI KOTA SRINIVASA POOJARY:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details on the implementation of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY), Phase-IV in Karnataka including the total kilometers of road sanctioned and constructed;**
- (b) the total length of road sanctioned and completed under PMGSY, Phase-IV in Karnataka;**
- (c) the timeline for the completion of remaining road projects under the said yojana in Phase-IV in Karnataka; and**
- (d) the specific challenges or obstacles faced in the implementation of PMGSY, Phase-III in Karnataka?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI KAMLESH PASWAN)**

(a) to (c): The Union Cabinet on 11th September, 2024 approved implementation of the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana - IV (PMGSY-IV) during FY 2024-25 to 2028-29. Under the programme, financial assistance is to be provided for the construction of 62,500 Kms road for providing new connectivity to eligible 25,000 unconnected habitations of population size 500+ in plains, 250+ in NE & Hill States/UTs, special category areas (Tribal Schedule V, Aspirational Districts/Blocks, Desert areas) and 100+ in Left Wing Extremism (LWE) affected areas as per Census 2011 and construction/ upgradation of bridges on the new connectivity roads. Total outlay of this scheme will be Rs. 70,125 crore. The PMGSY-IV Guidelines have been circulated to all States/ UTs. The Ministry is working in close coordination with the States for facilitating submission of proposals under the scheme.

(d) While implementing the scheme, challenges like issues of land acquisition, forest clearance, lack of response to tenders came in the way which impacted the overall progress of the scheme in few areas of the State. Out of the total sanctioned length of 5603.4 Km under PMGSY –III, the State has completed 5373.5 km of road length as on 27.03.2025. The timeline for completion of works under PMGSY-III is March, 2025.
