

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2708  
ANSWERED ON 05/08/2025**

**PRADHAN MANTRI GRAM SADAK YOJANA-III**

**2708. Dr. ShashiTharoor:**

**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of sanctioned road length out of the target road length under the Pradhan Mantri Gram SadakYojana-III (PMGSY-III);**
- (b) the details of percentage of roads completed and others at the various stages of construction;**
- (c) the details of percentage of sanctioned road length yet to be constructed in Kerala;**
- (d) whether the Government has updated the deadline for completion of PMGSY-III, from March 2025 to a new date;**
- (e) if so, the details of new deadline; and**
- (f) if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) to (f): Pradhan Mantri Gram SadakYojana-III (PMGSY-III) was launched in 2019 for consolidation of 1,25,000 Km Through Routes and Major Rural Links connecting habitations, inter-alia, to Gramin Agricultural Markets (GrAMs), Higher Secondary Schools and Hospitals.**

**Out of the total target length of 1,25,000 km, a total of 1,22,419 km of road length has been sanctioned and 98,766 km (79%) of total target length has been constructed as on 31.07.2025 under PMGSY-III across the country. A total of 22,396 Km (19% of sanctioned length) is currently at various stages of execution.**

**In Kerala State, out of the total target length of 1437.84 km, total 1,421 km of road length has been sanctioned and 747 km (52%) of total target length has been constructed as on 31.07.2025 under PMGSY-III. A total of 668 Km (47% of sanctioned length) is currently at various stages of execution.**

**The timeline for completion of ongoing projects under PMGSY III has been revised from March, 2025 to March, 2026 based on requests received from several States, including Kerala. The State has been advised to accelerate progress and ensure the completion of all pending works within the stipulated timeline.**

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