GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4668 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.08.2025

TRIBAL VILLAGES UNDER PMAAGY

4668. Adv Gowaal Kagada Padavi:

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of tribal villages selected under Pradhan Mantri Adi Adarsh Gram Yojana (PMAAGY) since its inception;
- (b)whether baseline infrastructure indicators such as roads, sanitation, digital access and livelihoods have improved in these villages and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c)whether the Government proposes to expand the said yojana and allocate more funds in coming years and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DURGADAS UIKEY)

- (a) and (b): Under the PMAAGY Scheme, the total 36428 VDPs Submitted by the State Government and 17656 Villages has been approved so far. Pradhan Mantri Adi Adarsh Gram Yojna (PMAAGY)', which was under implementation from 2021-22 to 2025-26, aimed at integrated development of villages with significant tribal population. The main objective of PMAAGY scheme was to achieve integrated socio-economic development of selected villages through convergence approach. The scheme envisioned to mitigate gaps in 8 sectors of development viz. Road connectivity (Internal and Inter village /block), Telecom connectivity (Mobile /internet), School, Anganwadi Centres, Health Sub-Centre, Drinking water facility, Drainage and solid waste management.
- (c): The PMAAGY scheme has been subsumed under the newly launched DA-JGUA (Dharti Aaba Janjatiya Gram Utkarsh Abhiyan) w.e.f. FY 2024–25. PM AAGY scheme is no longer operational for new proposals.
