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Title: Regarding need to sanction 30% of the rural roads under PMGSY(Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana)

श्री ओम पवन राजेनिंबालकर: Hon. Speaker Sir, Thank you. I wanted to raise this issue in the Question Hour as my question was listed at No. 2. Now, Kindly allow me to speak on it. In my Dharashiv Lok Sabha Constituency, the rural roads are in very bad shape. We keep on saying that ours is an agrarian country. In my Constituency, the total length of rural roads is 6834 km, but out of this, only the rural roads having the length of 174 km have been sanctioned under PMGSY. It is only 2.54% of the total length of the roads sanctioned.

Hence, I would like to request the Union Government that at least 30% of the roads construction should be sanctioned under PMGSY so that the people living in rural areas should also enjoy the benefits of better roads.

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