

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
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IMPLEMENTATION OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT BY NABARD

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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) proposes to raise Rs.4,000 crore to implement rural infrastructure development projects;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of long term and short term projects likely to be financed by the NABARD therefrom, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL)

(a) & (b) : In the Union Budget for the year 2007-08, Hon'ble Finance Minister announced an allocation of Rs.12000 crore for financing rural infrastructure projects to the State Governments under Rural Infrastructure Development Fund (RIDF) set up with NABARD. In addition, an allocation of Rs.4000 crore is also made for financing rural roads component of Bharat Nirman. NABARD will raise the funds from scheduled commercial banks as and when required for financing to the State Governments.

(c) : During the current year as on 20.11.2007, projects received from various State Governments involving RIDF loan aggregating Rs.4537.39 crore have been sanctioned. The State-wise details are as under:-

(Rs. in crore)

Sl.No.	State	RIDF loan amount
1.	Andhra Pradesh	274.87
2.	Bihar	233.47
3.	Chhattisgarh	32.64
4.	Gujarat	278.64
5.	Haryana	141.68
6.	Himachal Pradesh	120.17
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	292.01
8.	Jharkhand	167.19
9.	Karnataka	547.25
10.	Kerala	102.42
11.	Madhya Pradesh	273.39
12.	Meghalaya	7.19
13.	Orissa	309.19
14.	Punjab	122.03
15.	Rajasthan	777.93
16.	Sikkim	23.73
17.	Tamil Nadu	544.03
18.	Tripura	153.69
19.	Uttar Pradesh	37.67
20.	West Bengal	98.20
	Total	4537.39