

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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PMGSY PROJECTS IN NAXAL AFFECTED AREAS
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether many of the naxal/terrorist hit areas in the country including Jharkhand have been deprived of implementation of rural development schemes especially Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) on priority basis;
- (b) if so, the details of the amount spent in various areas by the Government on each of the projects and work accomplished under Rural Development schemes in terrorist hit districts in the country including Jharkhand during the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether many of the areas including Giridih district in Jharkhand are not getting benefit of rural development schemes under the terrorist hit districts; and
- (d) if so, the details of the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRADEEP JAIN 'ADITYA')

(a) to (d) The Ministry of Rural Development is implementing various developmental schemes such as Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY), Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA), Indira Awas Yojana (IAY), Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) etc. in various parts of the country including Left Wing Extremist (LWE) affected districts as identified by the Ministry of Home Affairs for special attention on planning, implementation and monitoring of development schemes. Close monitoring is being carried out by the Ministry for effective implementation of these schemes in LWE affected districts. Progress of these schemes in LWE affected districts is as under:-

- (i) Under PMGSY, 12,597 km road length has been completed and an expenditure of Rs. 3,589 crore incurred since inception of the programme till March, 2010.
- (ii) Under IAY, 5,23,908 houses have been constructed and an expenditure of Rs. 2,101 crore incurred during the last three years and the current year (upto 29th July, 2010).
- (iii) Under SGSY, 2,81,964 number of swarozgaris have been assisted and an expenditure of Rs. 422 crore incurred during the last three years.
- (iv) Under MGNREGA, 10,18,663 works have been completed and an expenditure of Rs. 6,186 crore incurred during the last three years and the current year (upto June, 2010).