

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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ALLOCATION OF FUNDS UNDER PMGSY
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether some of the States have not yet received the funds under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) for the years 2008-09 and 2010-11 despite the fact that these States have submitted their proposals on time with required plan and estimates;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the names of States/UTs yet to receive funds under the scheme during the said year?

Answer

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

(a): No sir.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is a demand driven programme. The funds under PMGSY are released to States/Union Territories based upon their demand, absorption capacity, works in hand and fulfilling of certain conditions laid down in the programme guidelines for release of funds. During 2008-09, no funds were released to Goa and Union Territories except Dadra & Nagar Haveli. In 2010-11, up to July, 2010, no funds have been released to Goa, Meghalaya, Nagaland and Union Territories, as either demand has not been received from the State Government/UT Administration or they have not met the conditions laid down by the Ministry of Rural Development during earlier release of funds for the programme as per programme guidelines.