GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RURAL DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4170 ANSWERED ON:06.12.2010 RELEASE OF FUNDS UNDER PMGSY Singh Shri Murarilal

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether release of funds for the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is pending for the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the amount of funds to be released to each State including Chhattisgarh under the said scheme;

(c) the reasons for withholding the fund; and

(d) the time by which this fund is likely to be released?

Answer

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

(a): No, Sir.

(b)to(d): The funds under PMGSY are released to States based upon their demand, absorption capacity, works undertaken and fulfilling of certain conditions laid down in the Programme Guidelines for release of funds. During 2009-10 Rs.540.03 crore and since 1st April, 2010 Rs.453.52 crore has been released to Chhattisgarh.