GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RURAL DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1868 ANSWERED ON:11.08.2011 AUDIT OF PROJECTS UNDER PMGSY Tandon Annu

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has conducted a social and physical audit of the projects under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of road projects under PMGSY have been executed by the Programme Implementation Units (PIUs) within the stipulated period of nine months from the date of issue of the work order; and
- (d) the number of projects that have been delayed especially in the State of Uttar Pradesh?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): Ensuring the quality of the road works is the responsibility of the State Governments who are implementing the programme. The PMGSY works are physically supervised by State Government through the State Quality Monitors and other officials. In addition, National Quality Monitors are also sent to inspect some of the PMGSY works on random basis.
- (c) & (d): Rural roads is a State subject and responsibility of execution of works under PMGSY is of the State Government.