

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1071  
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CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD UNDER PMGSY  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the construction of roads under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana remains incomplete in Bihar;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) the details of roads completed, incomplete and having wrong Detailed Project Reports (DPR) in Bihar regarding which Members of Parliament have made complaints;
- (d) the action taken against the agencies which have prepared wrong DPR;
- (e) the number of complaints received against IL & SF company;
- (f) the number of roads lying incomplete in the first phase in PMGSY in Bihar till date and the reasons therefor; and
- (g) the measures being taken to repair the roads which were damaged on account of missing over bridges?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b): Yes Sir. Some of the constraints for non-completion of projects by the State of Bihar are limited institutional and contracting capacity, non-availability of sufficient qualified technical personnel, calamities like floods, law and order problem in some parts of the State, non-availability of land etc.

(c) to (e): The physical progress of projects sanctioned for the State of Bihar upto 30th June, 2012 is as under:

Item	Sanctioned	Completed
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No. of roads	10,754	5,230
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Length of roads (in Km)	40,282	22,005
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As per Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) guidelines, the preparation of the Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) is the responsibility of the State Governments. The report about wrong preparation of DPRs for the State of Bihar, is received in the Ministry and has been forwarded to the State to send the comments.

(f): As intimated by the State, out of 299 road works sanctioned in Phase-I, the State has completed 278 road works and 9 road works are in progress. The State has also informed that remaining 12 road works are to be dropped.

(g): As regards repairs to roads, all PMGSY roads are covered by 5-year maintenance contract with the same contractor constructing the roads. The funds to service the maintenance contract is to be provided by the State Government.