

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1695
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13/02/2026

UNRELEASED FUNDS UNDER PMGSY

1695 Shri Derek O' Brien:

Will the Minister of Rural Development be pleased to state:

- (a) the year-wise details of funds due, funds released, and funds pending release to West Bengal under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojna (PMGSY) during the last five years;
- (b) the dates of sanction/release, the reasons recorded for delaying any installments and the present status of release of pending amounts; and
- (c) whether responsibility has been fixed for the delay in release of funds and the action taken against officials responsible, if any?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI KAMLESH PASWAN)

(a) to (c): Rural Road is a state subject. The sanction of road projects is done on the basis of proposals received from the States/UTs and in accordance with the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) guidelines. Central share under PMGSY is released to State Governments and funds are released at district and sub-district level by the State Governments.

A total of Rs.2007.88 Crore has been released to the State Government of West Bengal as central share during the last five years including the current year (as on 09.02.2026) for the implementation of PMGSY. The year wise and date wise details in respect of release of central share under PMGSY to the State Government of West Bengal are as mentioned below:

(Rs.in Crore)

Sl. No.	Financial Year	Central Share released	Date of Release
1	2020-21	969.31	21.09.2020, 19.11.2020, 24.12.2020 & 26.02.2021
2	2021-22	49.94	31.01.2022 & 21.03.2022
3	2022-23	381.03	09.09.2022, 04.10.2022, 28.02.2023 & 31.03.2023
4	2023-24	99.275	20.09.2023, 01.12.2023, 06.03.2024 & 26.03.2024
5	2024-25	225	10.01.2025, 26.03.2025 & 25.02.2025
6	2025-26 (as on 09.02.2026)	283.32 (Mother Sanction)	18.09.2025 & 21.11.2025
	TOTAL	2007.88	

The release of funds to States/UTs for implementation of PMGSY is done on the basis of the proposal received from the State and depends, inter-alia, on works in hand, execution capacity of the State, unspent funds available with the State and compliance with programme guidelines. Hence, the process is seamless. The details of the physical and financial progress of each work under PMGSY are available online and can be accessed at: <https://pmsgsy.dord.gov.in/> > Citizen Section > PMGSY Progress Dashboard or Delta Report.
