

Sl.No	District Name	Total no of GPs	GPs do not have a computer
10.	Balod	421	95
11.	Baster	358	76
12.	Kondagaon	311	59
13.	Naryanpur	98	90
14.	Dantewada	124	60
15.	Sukma	146	142
16.	Bijapur	169	155
17.	Kanker	427	86
18.	Bilaspur	645	535
19.	Mungeli	350	295
20.	Korba	390	331
21.	Janjgir-Champa	631	358
22.	Raigarh	761	546
23.	Surguja	399	127
24.	Surajpur	424	241
25.	Balrampur	415	76
26.	Jashpur	427	378
27.	Korea	286	145
TOTAL		10978	5492

Source: Panchayati and Rural Development Department, Government of Chhattisgarh.

Target of 300 NHs

2005. DR. R. LAKSHMANAN: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has fixed a target of constructing 300 National Highways across the country by 2019;

(b) if so, details of National Highways, State-wise;

(c) whether any delay has been reported in completing these projects across the country, including the State of Tamil Nadu;

(d) if so, details of the projects which are held up/delayed and reasons therefor;

(e) whether Government has held any discussion with various agencies including contractors of the projects to complete the delayed projects without any further delay to avoid cost escalation; and

(f) if so, details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI MANSUKH MANDAVIYA): (a) to (f) The State-wise details of major projects which are about to get completed unhindered by the end of March 2019 across the country including Tamil Nadu is given in the Statement (*See below*). National Highway projects are delayed mainly due to land acquisition, utility shifting, non-availability of soil/aggregate, poor performance of contractors, environment/forest/wildlife clearances, ROB and RUB issues with Railways, public agitation for additional facilities, arbitration/contractual disputes with contractors etc. In order to ensure timely completion of the projects and avoid cost escalation, regular meetings are held with project developers, State Governments and contractors. To expedite completion of these projects various steps are also taken which include streamlining of land acquisition and environment clearances, premium re-scheduling, close coordination with other Ministries, revamping of dispute resolution mechanism, frequent reviews at various levels etc.

Statement

State-wise details of the major projects which are about to get completed by March, 2019 including projects in Tamil Nadu

Sl.No.	State/UTs	Numbers of Projects
1.	Andhra Pradesh	17
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	9
3.	Assam	18
4.	Bihar	16
5.	Chhattisgarh	15
6.	Goa	2
7.	Gujarat	7
8.	Gujarat/Maharashtra	1

Sl.No.	State/UTs	Numbers of Projects
9.	Haryana	9
10.	Haryana/UP	3
11.	Haryana/Rajasthan	1
12.	Himachal Pradesh	4
13.	Jammu and Kashmir	2
14.	Jharkhand	2
15.	Karnataka	18
16.	Kerala	3
17.	Madhya Pradesh	17
18.	Madhya Pradesh/Maharashtra	1
19.	Maharashtra	31
20.	Meghalaya	2
21.	Mizoram	3
22.	Odisha	21
23.	Punjab	8
24.	Rajasthan	18
25.	Sikkim	2
26.	Tamil Nadu	6
27.	Telangana	7
28.	Tripura	2
29.	Uttar Pradesh	34
30.	Uttarakhand	3
31.	Uttarakhand/UP	1
32.	West Bengal	12
TOTAL		295