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**PROMOTING INFRASTRUCTURE IN JHARKHAND BY NABARD**

1839# SHRI SAMIR ORAON:

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

- (a) the amount of funds sanctioned by National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) for promoting physical and rural infrastructure in Jharkhand in the current financial year; and
- (b) the number of projects approved by NABARD to promote rural infrastructure for the last five years in the State?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
(DR. BHAGWAT KARAD)

(a) & (b): National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) provides loan assistance to State Government for investment in creating agriculture and rural infrastructure. The major funds maintained and operationalized by NABARD out of which such loans are sanctioned are Rural Infrastructure Development Fund (RIDF), Long Term Irrigation Fund (LTIF), Micro Irrigation Fund (MIF), Warehouse Infrastructure Fund (WIF), and Food Processing Fund (FPF).

As reported by NABARD, so far, no loan has been sanctioned to State Government of Jharkhand under the aforesaid schemes during the current financial year.

Details of number of Project approved and amount sanctioned by NABARD in the State of Jharkhand during the last five years are as under:

(No. of project in absolute & Amount in Rs. crore)

Year	Total	
	No. of Projects	Amount Sanctioned
2017-18	303	3017
2018-19	81	1509
2019-20	220	1868
2020-21	183	2026
2021-22	63	2305

(Source: NABARD)

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