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## Ministry of Rural Development, GOI approves 32 roads under PMGSY-III

Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India has approved 32 roads under PMGSY-III with length of 231.64 km and project cost of Rs. 214.23 crore vide No. P-17024/ 25(1)/ 2021 – RC (FMS-376220) on July 26, 2022.

Tripura has adopted Nano technology for 16 roads with 122.71 km for better quality of roads and cost optimization. PMGSY-III focuses consolidation of the existing Rural Road Network by upgrading the Through Routes (TR) and Major Rural Links (MRLs) that connect habitations with agricultural and rural market (GrAMs), educational facilities, hospitals, administrative headquarters etc. Total allocation for the state is 775 km.

It has also been decided that the state shall adopt Full Death Reclamation (FDR) mechanism in 250 km of road construction under PMGSY-III so that the roads are of better quality and durability. 32 roads sanctioned under PMGSY-III fall in North Tripura (4 roads, 21.919 km), Dhalai (1 road, 12.877 km), Khowai district (8 roads, 55.811 km), South Tripura (6 roads, 50.077 km) and West Tripura District (11 roads, 78.531 km). It was informed in a press release issued by Chief Engineer (PWD), PMGSY.

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