

Viksit Bharat-Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission Gramin (VB-G RAM G)

Context

The government has proposed an interim budget allocation of 95,692 crore rupees to states and union territories to ensure a smooth transition from MGNREGA to Viksit Bharat-Guarantee for Rozgar and Ajeevika Mission Gramin (VB-G RAM G).



Key Differences

Feature	MGNREGA (2005)	VB-G RAM G (2025 Act)
 Days Guaranteed	At least 100 days of work per year.	At least Integrated into the national PM Gati Shakti plan. of work per year.
 Funding Model	Demand-driven. The centre paid 100% of unskilled wages.	Normative allocation. General cost-sharing is 60:40 between Centre and States.
 Work Pauses	Continuous work throughout the year.	Allows a 60-day pause for farming seasons.
 Technology	Basic digital systems over time.	Advanced AI, biometrics, and GPS tracking.
 Planning Approach	Handled locally by Gram Sabhas.	Integrated into the national PM Gati Shakti plan.