

products requiring specially designed wagons. Another scheme namely Automobile Freight Train Operator Scheme (AFTO) has also been launched on 19.07.2010 to attract private investment in high-capacity auto-carriers in order to increase the share of railways in automobile traffic.

Railway staff in valley

3483. MS. SUSHILA TIRIYA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Railway staff from outside the valley have left for their homes;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the staff was not feeling safe there; and
- (d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI E. AHAMMED): (a) to (d) Due to adverse law and order situation, the train services have been suspended. The prevailing security situation also led to certain problem/difficulties for the railway employees working there, which has since been sorted out.

Proposals of flyovers

3484. SHRI RAMA CHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether zonal level, division level, and Railway Station Railway User Advisory Committees and Consultative Committees are meeting regularly in Eastern Railway and South Eastern Railway;
- (b) if so, the details of date of meetings of Divisional and Zonal level committee in 2009-10 and 2010-11;
- (c) whether there are regular meetings with the State Government for better coordination; and
- (d) whether Government of Orissa has given specific proposals for second flyover at Jajpur Road, flyover bridge at Manapura Gate and footbridge over Baitarani Bridge near Bandallo railway station in Jajpur district?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI E. AHAMMED): (a) and (b) The present Zonal Railway Users' Consultative Committee (ZRUCC) and Divisional Railway Users' Consultative Committees (DRUCCs) have been reconstituted for a two years term with effect from 16.09.2009. Details of the meeting of ZRUCCs and DRUCCs of Eastern and South Eastern Railway are given in the Statement (See below).

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) No such proposals have been received from State Government of Orissa regarding second flyover at Jajpur Road Railway station and foot path over Baitarani river railway bridge near Bandallo in Jajpur District. However, the flyover bridge at Manapur Gate *i.e.* Mangovindpur