

(d) the estimated amount to be spent on this project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BHARATSINH SOLANKI):

(a) The project for construction of Dallirajhara-Rowghat-Jagdarpur (235 km) railway line was included in Railway Budget 1995-96. Expenditure of Rs. 153.86 crore has been incurred on the project upto March 2011 and an amount of Rs. 168.92 crore has been provided in Budget 2011-12 for this project.

(b) Yes, Sir. A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) among Railway, M.P. State Government, National Mineral Development Corporation and SAIL has been signed on 02.04.1998. Furthermore, a revised MoU has been signed on 11.12.2007 after formation of Chhattisgarh State.

(c) As per MoU, project is to be executed in two Phases. Phase-I between Dallirajhara-Rowghat (95 km) is being executed by RVNL. Earthwork for formation and minor bridge are in progress. In Phase-II between Rowghat-Jagdarpur (140 km), land acquisition/diversion of land of approximately 854 hectare has been submitted to respective district Collectors and Divisional Forest Officer/Narayanpur. Field verification by revenue authorities is in progress.

(d) Latest anticipated cost of the project is Rs. 1105.23 crore.

Setting up of medical colleges

3394. SHRI MANGALA KISAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number and list of medical colleges proposed by Railways for setting up in various States of the country; and

(b) by when Railways are going to set up a Medical college at Mancheswar in Bhubaneswar?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BHARATSINH SOLANKI):

(a) 18 Medical Colleges are proposed to be set up with the existing Railway Hospitals on railway land on Public Private Partnership Model at Chenhai (Tamilnadu), Hyderabad (Andhra Pradesh), Bilaspur (Chhattisgarh), Lucknow (Uttar Pradesh), Barasat (West Bengal), Bhubaneswar (Orissa), Mysore (Karnataka), Kharagpur (West Bengal), Guwahati (Assam), Dibrugarh (Assam),

Jodhpur (Rajasthan), Gardenreach (West Bengal), Nagpur (Maharashtra), Ahmedabad (Gujarat), B.R. Singh Hospital (West Bengal), Bhopal (Madhya Pradesh), Jammu (Jammu and Kashmir) & Trivandrum (Kerala).

(b) Initially 5 Medical Colleges at Kharagpur, Lucknow, Guwahati, Chennai and Secunderabad are proposed to be taken up. Medical college at Bhubaneswar shall be taken up subsequently.

Creating railway division at Rayagada

3395. SHRI MANGALA KISAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state whether in view of the public demand, Railways are considering to create another Railway Division at Rayagada under the jurisdiction of ECoR comprising the lines-Nuapada-Gunupur with proposed extension to Therubali/Rayagada, Rayagada-Titlagarh-Raipur, Koraput-Rayagada, Koraput-Jeypore-Junagarh, and proposed railway line in Malkangiri, Koraput and Nabarangpur?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BHARATSINH SOLANKI):
No, Sir.

Status of ROBs/RUBs

3396. SHRI MOINUL HASSAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the present status of Road Over Bridges/Road Under Bridges (ROBs/RUBs) out of the 1252 ROBs/RUBs targeted to be completed by 2013;
- (b) whether the progress made so far has been up to the desired level;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, zone-wise; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor and the manner in which pace of work would be stepped up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BHARATSINH SOLANKI):
(a) to (c) There are 951 sanctioned ROB/RUB works on cost sharing basis. Out of these, 120 numbers have been completed as on 1.8.2011 and the balance are in various stages of planning, design and execution. Works are progressing satisfactorily as per the availability of resources and the Zone wise details of ongoing cost sharing works is as under: