

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2055
ANSWERED ON 12.03.2021

**REVISION OF PROJECT COST ESTIMATE AND ROR FROM KANTABANJI TO
KOKSARA AND DHARMAGARH TO JUNAGARH ROAD**

2055. SHRI SUJEET KUMAR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

whether Railways have considered the demand for revision of project cost estimate and ROR (Rate of Return) from Kantabanji to Koksara via Rajkhariar, Dharmagarh of 115 kms (Chainage 0/0 to 115/000) and Dharmagarh to Junagarh Road of 19 kms (Chainage 185/500 to 204/500), new line railway project of total 134 kms in the State of Odisha, as per the proposals submitted by Member to Minister of Railways?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMERCE & INDUSTRY AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS,
FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

Survey for New Line between Kantabanji and Jeypore via Raj-Khariar, Dharmagarh, Koksara, Amapani Road and Nabarangpur (230 km) was completed in 2016-17 and the cost of the project was estimated as ₹2527 crore with a Rate of Return (RoR) of (-)5.20%. There is no proposal for revision of cost estimate and ROR.

Survey from Dharmagarh to Junagarh Road is not sanctioned.
