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Title: Need for railway line from Bar to Bilara via Jaitaran -laid.

SUSHRI DIYA KUMARI (RAJSAMAND): I would like to draw the attention of the hon. Minister of Railways towards the need for a new railway line from Bar to Bilara via Jaitaran. This railway line is being demanded for years now and despite the initial survey, no further action has taken place. This area is rich in minerals like, limestone, china clay, granite. As a result, big cement industries are being set up here which provide source of employment not just for the local people, but also to labourers from other states like Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Andhra Pradesh, etc.

The cement industries have also demanded this railway line, as they require fright carriage service to transport their goods to cities like Delhi. Therefore, this would not just help to boost employment and growth in the region but also help to increase the freight and passenger revenue of the railways.