

(a) whether a survey has been conducted to lay a railway line via Kushalnagar in Kodagu district in Karnataka;

(b) if so, whether the project has been approved;

(c) the names of places to be connected through the proposed railway line; and

(d) when the project is likely to be undertaken?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) It has been decided not to take up this project, as it was found to be grossly unremunerative and the Railways are facing an acute constraint of resources.

#### Environment Clearance for Mangalore Oil Refinery

152. SHRI V. DHANANJAYA KUMAR: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether environment clearance has been given to the Mangalore Oil Refinery Project;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir. The project was accorded environmental clearance on 1st February, 1991 subject to implementation of certain conditions and environmental safeguards.

(c) Does not arise.

#### Modification of Konkan Railway Project

153. SHRI RAM KAPSE:  
SHRI V. KRISHNA RAO:  
SHRI C. P. MUDALA-  
GIRIYAPPA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had appointed an Expert Committee to examine the track alignments/modifications regarding Konkan Coastal Railway Project;

(b) if so, whether the Committee has submitted its report;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the action proposed to be taken thereon;

(d) if not, the reasons for delay; and

(e) when the report is likely to be submitted?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir, but only for the alignment within Goa.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The question of alignment of Konkan Railways line in Goa has been examined by an expert who has since submitted his report which has been accepted. As per this report, it has been decided that the alignment proposed by the Konkan Railway Corporation and approved by the Goa State Government should be adopted except in the case of 13 Km length between Margao and Balli where it bisects the village of Navelim, Dramapur, Salzona and Cuncolim. The alignment for this section from Margao

to Balli will be shifted eastwards along the foot hills even though it would involve construction of two tunnels and is slightly longer in length. The work is being progressed accordingly.

(d) and (e) Do not arise.

**Rolling Stock lying near Tracks in Etawah**

154. SHRI RAM KAPSE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether he had received any representation on December 16, 1991 regarding rolling stock lying near tracks in Etawah; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) A representation was received regarding rolling stock lying near through not particularly in Etawah.

(b) The salvage of rolling stock from accident sites is a continuous process on the Railways and the position is regularly reviewed to evolve plans for retrieval. The normal traffic has to be obstructed to arrange for 'blocks' for such retrieval and in saturated sections this becomes difficult. Therefore, where it is not feasible to salvage and transport the accident involved stock and which are considered beyond economical repairs, Railways dispose of such stock

on "As is where is" basis.

**Community Health Centres**

155. SHRI BHAGWAN SHANKAR RAWAT:  
SHRI DATTARAYA BANDARU:  
SHRI CHETAN P.S. CHAUHAN:  
SHRI ANNA JOSHI:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Community Health Centres in the country;

(b) whether the Government propose to set up more such centres during the Eighth Five Year Plan;

(c) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(d) the amount, if any, sanctioned so far for this purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D.K. THARADEV SIDDHARTHA): (a) to (d). A Statement showing the state-wise number of Community Health Centres in the Country, along with the targets for 1992-93 is enclosed.

The Eighth Five Year Plan allocation is yet to be finalised.