(c) According to the latest procedure followed, the foreign companies are not given fresh formulation capacities without its linkage with bulk drug production In so far as Indian sector is concerned, a liberal policy is being followed and in case their ratio of production between bulk drug and formulation is 1:10 they are given approvals for production of formulations without their linkage to the bulk drug production

Written Answers

Construction of railway lines in Andhra Pradesh

2068 SHRI Y ESWARA REDDY Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of railway lines under different stages of construction in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the scheduled dates of their completion; and
- (c) whether adequate funds have been provided for these projects during the current year?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BUTA SINGH) · (a) and (b) Bibimagar-Nalgonda portion (74 kms) forming part of the proposed Bibinagar-Nadikude line has been taken up for construction in the first phase. The project is expected to be completed by April 1980 subject to timely availability of adequate funds

(c) Funds are allotted for different projects depending upon the over-all national priorities

Cost analysis for electric, diesel and steam traction

2067. PROF. NARAIN CHAND PARASHAR Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the routes alongwith kilometerage on the B.G., M.G., and N.G. which have been electrified so far, or are in the process of electrification:
- (b) the likely date by which the electrification on the latter routes would be completed; and
- (c) the comparative cost analysis for electric, diesel and steam traction for the 3 gauges per hundred kilometres for goods and passenger traffic separately?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS BUTA SINGH) (a) to (c). A statement is laid on the Table of the House. [Placed in Library See No. LT-11316/ 76 1

Funds for improvement of Naupada-Gunupur Narrow Gauge line during Fifth Plan

2068 SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO. Will the Mimster of RAILWAYS ba pleased to state

- (a) the funds provided for the improvements of the Naupada-Gunupur N G line of South Eastern Railway by the Ministry in the Fifth Five Year Plan;
- (b) the amount already spent and the provisions made for the year 1976-77 to complete the work, and
- (c) the progress made so far and the proposals for the improvements of the lire and the Railway stations?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BUTA SINGH); (a) Rs. 1809 lekhs.

- (b) Rs 422 lakhs have been spent upto March, 1976 Provision of Rs. 12 lakh, has been made in 1976-77 and the balance will be provided during the current plan period.
- (c) Through Rail Renewal for length of 33,8 kms. has been completed and Through Sleeper Renewal for