

tion of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Overbridge in Jabalpur

3606. SHRI AJAY MUSHRAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the funds allocated during 1989-90 for construction of an overbridge at Kachpura railway crossing at Jabalpur; and

(b) the progress made on this work so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Rs. 37.09 lakhs.

(b) The progress on the bridge over the tracks being executed by the Railway is 30%. Work on approaches has not yet been commenced by the State Government.

Conversion of Jabalpur-Gondia Railway Line

3607. SHRI AJAY MUSHRAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether South Eastern Railway has undertaken a reappraisal survey to examine the feasibility of the conversion of Jabalpur-Gondia Metre Gauge Line for being utilised as an alternative North-South route;

(b) if so, whether survey has been completed and action taken on the report; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) to (c). The reappraisal survey for conversion of Jabalpur-Gondia NG section to BG, for serving as an alternative North-South route has not been completed. This is one of the many surveys, at present in hand, on the South Eastern Railway and exhaustive data has to be collected to work out the viability of the proposal.

Jabalpur Railway Station

3608. SHRI AJAY MUSHRAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) funds allocated during 1989-90 for developing Jabalpur railway station as a model railway station;

(b) the details of works completed and to be undertaken on this station under the scheme; and

(c) details of funds allocated to different railway stations during 1989-90 which are being developed under model railway stations project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Rs. 30.02 lakhs.

(b) The scheme of remodelling of Jabalpur railway station envisages provision of facilities like drinking water supply, toilets, better lighting, additions and improvements to platforms, waiting halls, circulating area, retiring rooms, cover over platforms etc.

The following works have been completed/are in progress:—