

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2803
ANSWERED ON:01.08.2002
BIFURCATION OF EASTERN RAILWAYS
GADDE RAMAMOCHAN;M.V.V.S MURTHI

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a delegation of political parties met him to discuss the Eastern Railway bifurcation issue;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the discussion held therein alongwith the outcome thereof; and
- (c) the final decision taken or likely to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) to (c) : Yes, Sir. Delegations of various political parties have met and have given their views for and against the reorganisation of Railways along with their memoranda. Notifications for operationalising the new Zones have already been issued. Decision remains same.