

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:490  
ANSWERED ON:20.02.2003  
CREATION OF NEW ZONE  
BRAJ MOHAN RAM

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Jharkhand Legislative Assembly has sent a proposal to the Railway Board/Union Government to create a new railway zone at Dhanbad, Ranchi and Chakradharpur ;
- (b) if so, whether the Government propose to create a new railway zone at Dhanbad;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor ?

**Answer**

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

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) No, Sir.
- (c) Does not arise.
- (d) The proposal was examined but the same has not been found feasible of acceptance.