

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1814
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BYE-PASS WORK OF TALCHER-SAMBALPUR LINE
ANANTA NAYAK

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether some bye-pass work of the main Talcher-Sambalpur line in Orissa are under construction;
- (b) if so, the progress of these bye-pass work; and
- (c) the time by which the work is likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) to (c): The work of bypass line at Sambalpur end of Talcher-Sambalpur new line has since been completed. Pre-Non-interlocked work is in progress and the bypass is expected to be commissioned by 31-03-2002.