

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:99

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CONSTRUCTION OF TERMINALS AND WAREHOUSES ON RAILWAY LAND  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the private sector, has been involved in the construction of terminals and warehouses on railway land in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the extent to which it would help in smooth transportation of goods;
- (d) whether the Central Warehousing Corporation propose to construct warehouses on the railway land in Bangalore; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof ?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a) to (e): The Government have approved in principle

- (i) the proposal of Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC) to set up a warehouse as a pilot project at Whitefield, Bangalore on leasing terms and revenue sharing basis and
- (ii) setting up of privately owned goods terminals on a pilot project basis. These measures are expected to provide value addition in rail transport service.