

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:736
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SURVEY FOR EXTENSION OF RAILWAY LINE
BHIM PRASAD DAHAL

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

to the reply given to Unstarred Question No.728 dated December 2,1999 regarding expansion of rail network to Sikkim and state:

- (a) whether the survey for extension of railway line the Sevok to Gangtok via Singtum has since been completed;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor and the time by which it is likely to be completed ?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) : A survey for extension of the railway line from Sevok to Gangtok via Singtum is in progress. The survey is expected to be completed by end of current financial year.