

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3756
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DIVERSION OF RAILWAY TRACKS
MONI KUMAR SUBBA

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether wildlife activists have been pressing the Railways to divert railway tracks passing through key protected areas of Buxar Tiger Reserve, Mahananda Wildlife Sanctuary, Gorumara National Park, Chapramari Wildlife Sanctuary and Jaldapara Reserve Forest;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the reaction of the Government thereto and the action taken in this regard?

Answer

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

(a): No, Sir.

(b) & (c): Do not arise.