GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:146
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SURVEY FOR MADIKERE-CHANNARAYAPATNA RAIL LINE
PUTTASWAMY GOWDA

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Railways have conducted the Survey for the new railway line between Madikere-Channarayapatna via Holenarasipura in Karnataka;
- (b) if so, the estimate cost of the proposed project;
- (c) whether the Government have given clearance to the above project;
- (d) if so, whether the construction work has been started; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a): Yes, Sir.
- (b): Rs. 212 crores.
- (c): No, Sir.
- (d): Does not arise.
- (e): Due to constraint of resources and unremunerative nature of the line, the project has not been cleared.