

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4458

ANSWERED ON:25.08.2005

RAILWAY PROJECTS

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have reviewed the projects involving more than Rs.100 crore;
- (b) if so, the details of such projects alongwith the year in which these projects were announced;
- (c) the details of the projects out of them on which the work has been started so far;
- (d) whether the cost escalation has been estimated in respect of the projects started belatedly; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU)

- (a): Review of all the projects, irrespective of cost, is done from time to time at the appropriate levels.
- (b): Details of projects costing more than Rs.100 Crore are given in the Annexure.
- (c): Works are in various stages of progress on all these projects.
- (d) & (e): The cost overrun is feasible to be assessed only where funds are assured at the time of taking up of projects. In case of Railway projects, funding is not assured at the time of taking up of the project and hence cost overrun is not feasible to be assessed.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4458 BY S/SHRI SHISHUPAL PATLE, ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT, MOHD. TAHIR, MOHD. SHAHID AND PROF. MAHADEORAO SHIWANKAR TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 25.08.2005 REGARDING RAILWAY PROJECTS.

(b): The details of projects with anticipated cost more than Rs.100 crore and year of inclusion are as under:

Year of inclusion in the Budget	New Line	Doubling	Gauge conversion	Railway Electrification	Metropolit an Project
1972-73	-	-	-	-	1
1974-75	1	-	-	-	-
1981-82	2	-	-	-	-
1082-83	1	-	-	-	-
1983-84	1	-	-	-	1
1984-85	3	-	1	-	1
1985-86	1	-	-	-	-
1987-88	1	-	-	-	-
1889-90	1	-	-	-	-
1990-91	-	2	2	-	-
1991-92	-	-	-	3	-
1992-93	1	1	5	2	-
1993-94	3	-	5	-	-
1994-95	2	1	2	-	-
1995-96	5	1	5	1	2
1996-97	10	2	7	-	2
1997-98	18	6	14	3	-
1998-99	5	-	3	-	1
1999-00	2	1	2	1	-
2000-01	5	-	3	-	-
2001-02	1	1	-	-	-
2002-03	1	-	-	-	-

2003-04	8	5	2	-	1
2005-06	1	1	3	1	-

Out of the above projects, 30 projects have been completed.