GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2277 ANSWERED ON:07.12.2006 RAILWAY PROJECTS Acharia Shri Basudeb

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether some of railway projects have been declared as National Projects;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the funds allocated for these projects;
- (d) whether any time frame has been fixed for completion of these projects; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (e): A Statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2277 B YSHRIBASUDEB ACHARIA TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.12.2006 IN LOK SABHA REGARDING RAILWAY PROJECTS.

(a) to (e): Details of National Projects including their time schedule of completion is as under:

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Sl Name of Project Antic- Expen- Outlay Addit- Target for completion
  ipated diture for 2006- ional
   cost upto 07 from funds
   March, Railway's for
   2006 Normal
                 2006-07
    Budgetary from
    Support Ministry
      of
      Finance
1. Udhampur-Srinagar- 8,000 2,986 -
                                          1700
(i) Udhampur-Katra &
Baramulla New Line
                      Rajwiansher-
        Kakapore of
        Qazigund-
        Baramulla - 2006- 07
(ii) Balance
        of Qazigund
        Baramulla - 2007- 08
(iii) Katra-
        Qazigund - 2009- 10
2. Kumarghat-Agartala 879.99 476.53 100 76 Targeted by March,
             2007 but
New Line
        now expected
        by Dec., 2007
3. Jiribam-Imphal Road 727.56 2.57 15 70 March, 2010
(Tupul) New Line
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4. Lumding-Silchar 1496.42 512.96 115 246 March, 2009 including alignment between Migrendisa-Dittockchera and extension from Badarpur to Bariagram Gauge Conversion

Apart from the above, Dimapur-Kohima and Azra-Byrnihat new line projects have been included in the Supplementary Demand for Grants 2006-07 presented in the Parliament on 04.12.2006.