

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4835
ANSWERED ON:10.05.2007
RAILWAY CONNECTIVITY TO BANSWARA DISTRICT
Rawat Shri Dhan Singh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have conducted survey for four times to provide railway connectivity to Banswara District;
- (b) if so, the dates on which the said survey was conducted alongwith the amount spent thereon;
- (c) whether survey work for the railway line from Ratlam to Banswara-Dungarpur was also done earlier; and
- (d) if so, the details and the steps taken by the Railways to provide rail connectivity to tribal areas of Banswara District?

Answer

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

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4835 BY SHRI DHANSINGH RAWAT TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 10.05.2007 REGARDING RAILWAY CONNECTIVITY TO BANSWARA DISTRICT.

(a) & (b) : Details of the surveys conducted for providing rail connectivity to Banswara are as under :

S.NO.	SURVEY THE SURVEY	PERIOD	AMOUNT SPENT ON	STATUS
1.	Ratlam- Banswara- Dungarpur taken up.	2002-03	Rs.27.00 lakh	Survey completed and work was not
2.	Ratlam- Banswara- Dungarpur taken up.	2004-05	Rs. 1.30 lakh	Survey completed and work was not
3.	Dahod- Banswara work was not taken up.	2004-05	Rs.16.20 lakh	Survey completed and
4.	Ratlam- Banswara Budget 2007-08.	2007-08	-	Updating survey included in the

(c) : Yes, Sir.

(d) : Updating survey for Ratlam-Banswara has been included in the Budget 2007-08 at a cost of Rs.5.28 lakh.