

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1699
ANSWERED ON:23.08.2007
ROAD UNDER BRIDGE IN PUNE BANGALORE ROAD
Siddeswara Shri Gowdar Mallikarjunappa

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government is considering to lessen the height of the basement of Road Under Bridge in Pune-Bangalore road near Bandebommenahalli Village, Holalkere Taluk, Chitradurga District in Karnataka;
- (b) if not, whether the Union Government has received any proposal in this regard; and
- (c) if so, the time by which the final decision in this regard is likely to be taken?

Answer

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

(a): There is no Road Under Bridge at the said location. However, a Railway Track Bridge exists between Sasalu- Mayakonda Railway station near Bandebommenahalli village having open footing and sufficient opening. Lowering of bed level of this bridge is not possible as it will expose the foundation and effect the safety of the Railway track. There is no obstruction to water flow through this bridge and de-silting is done before monsoon.

(b): No, Sir.

(c): Does not arise.