GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1939 ANSWERED ON:13.03.2008 RAILWAY LINE IN ANDHRA PRADESH Nizamuddin Shri G.

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of Railway line between Jaggaiahpet and Mellacherruvu in Andhra Region of South Central Railway;

(b) the amount sanctioned for this project during 2008-09; and

(c) the time by when the said railway line is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a)to(c): The work of Jaggayapet-Mallacheruvu (19.1km.) new broad gauge rail line has already been included in Budget 2006-07 at an anticipated cost of Rs.66 crore. Land acquisition has been taken up.An outlay of Rs.29.6 crore has been proposed for the project in Budget 2008-09. The project is likely to be completed during 2008-09.