

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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RAIL PROJECTS TO CONNECT PORTS TO HINTERLANDS

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the progress so far made on the port/hinterland rail connectivity projects in various parts of the country, particularly in Haridaspur-Paradeep, Daitari-Banspani sections of Orissa;

(b) the details of funds allocated for each of such projects during 2006-07 and 2007-08; (C) the details of the expenditure incurred and the progress made in the projects till date; and

(d) the time by which these projects are likely to be completed ?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI LALU PRASAD)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.