

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2204
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LALITPUR TO SINGRAULI RAIL LINE
Singh Shri Ganesh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether railway line from Lalitpur to Singrauli has been sanctioned and the work on this line has already been started ;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and progress made thereon; and
- (c) the time by which the work on the railway line is likely to be completed ?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): The work of Lalitpur-Satna-Rewa-Singrauli & Mahoba-Khajuraho new broad gauge rail line has been included in the Budget 1997-98. The detailed estimate for Lalitpur-Khajuraho and Mahoba-Khajuraho sections has been sanctioned. Land acquisition is in progress. Out of 99.6 lakh cubic metre of earthwork, 14.83 lakh cubic metre has been completed. 2 major bridges out of 25, and 39 minor bridges out of 151 have been completed. The work on 20 major bridges and 28 minor bridges is in progress. The final location survey in balance length is in progress.

(c) : No target has yet been fixed.