

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

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TRAIN ACTUATED WARNING DEVICE AT LEVEL CROSSINGS

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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of level crossings in the railways particularly in North Central railway where the Train Actuated Warning Device (TAWD) has been provided so far;
- (b) the details of accident prone level crossings in the railways particularly in North Central railway, where the TAWD has not been installed so far; and
- (c) the time by which the TAWD is likely to be provided at all accident prone level crossings?

**Answer**

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

(a) No level crossing on North Central Railway has so far been provided with Train Actuated Warning (TAWD).

(b) & (c) Provision of TAWDs is in progress on selected 70 ,manned level crossings and 20 unmanned level crossings on Northern, North Central, North Western, North Eastern, East Coast, Southern, South Central and South Eastern Railways on limited trial basis to see the efficacy of the device on manned and unmanned level crossings. This includes 10 manned level crossings on Jhansi -Bina section of North Central Railway . This work is likely to be completed by 30.6.2005. Based on the performance of these TAWDs, further provision of the device would be considered.