GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:669 ANSWERED ON:03.03.2005 UNIGAUGE RAIL LINE FROM SABARMATI TO KHODIYAR Maadam Shri Vikrambhai Arjanbhai

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the work of BG/unigauge rail line between Sabarmati and Khodiyar (Western Railways) has started;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith target fixed for its completion; and

(c) if not, the reasons for delay and the time by which the work is likely to be started?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Sir. Gauge conversion of Sabarmati-Khodiyar MG line has been taken up as a part of Phulera-Marwar-Ahmedabad gauge conversion project.

(b): Formation and ballast supply works are in progress. This work will be completed in the coming years as per availability of resources.

(c): Does not arise.