

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
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LOK SABHA**

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INTRODUCTION OF BULLET TRAIN  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Railways have conducted any feasibility study on 533 km. long Pune-Mumbai-Ahmedabad section for introduction of bullet train;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of such studies to be conducted for other parts of the country?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) & (b): A Consultant has been engaged for pre-feasibility study for High Speed Rail Corridor between Pune-Mumbai-Ahmedabad. The study is going on and the Consultant has not yet submitted the final report.

(c): The other corridors selected for prefeasibility studies are:

- (i) Delhi-Chandigarh-Amritsar
- (ii) Hyderabad-Dornakal-Vijaywada-Chennai
- (iii) Chennai-Bangalore-Coimbatore-Ernakulam
- (iv) Howrah-Haldia
- (v) Delhi-Agra-Lucknow-Varanasi-Patna