

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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EXPANSION OF RAILWAY LINES
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have any proposal for expansion of Railway lines in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any such proposal is under consideration related to Uttar Pradesh particularly Bundelkhand;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which Bundelkhand is likely to be included for the expansion of railway lines?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): Vision 2020 entails addition of 25,000 route km to the railway network across the country which includes ongoing new line projects covering about 11,000 km.
- (c) to (e): National perspective is taken into consideration for developing railway infrastructure. New line projects are taken up throughout the country covering various regions.