GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:782 ANSWERED ON:29.07.2010 RAIL LINE IN MADHYA PRADESH Amlabe Shri Narayan Singh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposed railway line connecting Ramganj Mandi in Rajasthan to Bhopal, has been sanctioned;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the progress made so far in this regard; and

(c) the time by which the work on the said railway line is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Ramganj Mandi-Bhopal new rail line (262 km) is already a sanctioned project. In first phase, work has been taken up between Ramganj Mandi and Jhalawar which is targeted for completion by March, 2011. In Jhalawar-Bhopal section, land acquisition has been taken up. The project will be completed in coming years as per availability of resources.