

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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BIKANER RAIL ROUTE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have conducted any survey for linking Jaisalmer to Nagaur and Bikaner rail route with Falodi-Nagor and Kolayat;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Railways to commence the said work on the basis of this survey?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Jaisalmer is linked with Bikaner through Falodi, Kolayat.

A survey for Nagaur-Phalodi new line project (147 km) was completed in 2006-07. As per the survey report, cost of the project was assessed as Rs. 213.67 crore. The project has not been sanctioned.