

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4324
ANSWERED ON:19.08.2010
WORLD BANK FINANCE FOR MUMBAI SUBURBAN RAILWAY
Paranjpe Shri Anand Prakash

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the World Bank has approved \$430 million to finance the improvement of Mumbai suburban railway system ;
- (b) if so, the details of the project and the time by which it will become operational;
- (c) whether expenditure on Mumbai Urban Transport Project(MUTP) is also included in the said financial assistance of World Bank; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (d): A Statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4324 BY SHRI ANAND PRAKASH PARANJPE TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 19.08.2010 REGARDING WORLD BANK FINANCE FOR MUMBAI SUBURBAN RAILWAY

(a): Yes Madam. World Bank has approved a loan of \$ 430 million for financing Mumbai Urban Transport Project – II (MUTP II).

(b): MUTP II Project consists of the following works:

- i. 5th & 6th Lines CSTM-Kurla
 - ii. 5th & 6th Lines Thane-Diva
 - iii. 6th Line Mumbai Central-Borivali
 - iv. Extension of Harbour Line from Andheri to Goregaon
 - v. DC to AC Conversion
 - vi. EMU Procurement & manufacture
 - vii. Maintenance Facilities for EMUs
 - viii. Stabling Lines for EMUs
 - ix. Technical Studies & Institutional Strengthening studies
 - x. Resettlement & Rehabilitation of Project Affected Households
 - xi. Station Improvement & Trespassing Control
- The project is expected to be completed by 2014-15.

(c) & (d): The World Bank loan will be used to finance procurement of electrics for manufacture of EMU rakes, part funding of DC to AC conversion on Central Railway, technical studies and institutional strengthening studies. The other works mentioned at (b) above are also part of MUTP II, but they will be funded by Ministry of Railway and Government of Maharashtra.