

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1418  
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RAILWAY LAND IN DARBHANGA  
Azad Shri Kirti (Jha)

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of the land acquired by the Railways in Darbhanga district (Bihar);
- (b) whether the Railways bears responsibility to construct and maintain the roads on both sides of railway crossing; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a): Railways have been acquiring land from the pre-independence era, record of which is not available. However, during the last 10 years, about 1200 acres of land has been acquired by Railways in Darbhanga district.

(b) & (c): Railways construct and maintain approach roads of level crossing within the railway boundary. Road located outside the Railway boundary are constructed and maintained by respective State Governments/road authorities.