

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

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RECRUITMENT BOARD FOR THE KONKAN RAILWAY  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Railways are planning to set up a separate Railway Recruitment Board for the Konkan Railway;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is no information about the recruitment of the local unemployed youths of the Konkan region in the Konkan Railways; and
- (d) if so, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

(a): No, Madam.

(b): Does not arise.

(c) & (d): Konkan Railway Corporation Limited (KRCL), a Public Sector Undertaking under the Ministry of Railways, has its own system of recruitment. As a matter of policy, KRCL gives preference to Landlosers and their wards whose land has been acquired for the construction of Konkan Railway Project. So far 1917 Landloser Candidates have been given employment in KRCL.