

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3665  
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COST ESCALATION OF RAILWAY PROJECTS  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether execution of several on-going railway projects in the country are getting delayed resulting in huge cost overrun;
- (b) if so, the details of such projects and the reasons for delay in their execution, zone-wise;
- (c) the details of funds spent so far on the said projects; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Railways to expedite the execution of these projects to check any further cost escalation?

**Answer**

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

- (a) to (d): Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.