

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3749  
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DOUBLING OF LUCKNOW-BARAUNI RAIL LINE  
Singh Shri Brij Bhushan Sharan

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

- (a) the status regarding doubling of Lucknow-Barauni railway line alongwith the funds spent, thereon so far; and
- (b) the time by which the doubling of this railway line is likely to be completed and the total estimated expenditure likely to be incurred?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b): On Lucknow-Barauni route via Barabanki, Gonda, Gorakhpur, Chhapra, Hajipur (513 km), doubling in 340 kms has already been completed. Further, doubling has been taken up in a length of 103 kms. Rs. 834.16 crore has been incurred on doubling of this route upto March, 2009. The project is progressing as per availability of resources.