

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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METRO RAIL IN KOLKATA
Panda Shri Prabodh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the foundation stone for construction of metro rail from joka to BBD Bagh in Kolkata was laid on 22nd September, 2010;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it is a fact that the Railway authorities have removed the said stone from the site;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and reasons therefor; and
- (e) the action taken in this regard?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Her Excellency President of India laid the foundation stone.
- (c) to (e) The location for the foundation stone laying ceremony by Her Excellency President of India was cleared by the local administration. The plaque is presently preserved at the project site in safe custody.