

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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INFRASTRUCTURE IN KARNATAKA
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways are aware that almost all railway stations including Mandya in Karnataka are lacking vital infrastructural facilities;
- (b) the details of representations received from Karnataka Government for development/improvement of railway infrastructure in the state; and
- (c) the action taken thereon, particularly in regard to Mandya Station?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Development/augmentation of passenger amenities at railway stations is an on-going process and the same is undertaken depending upon volume of passenger traffic handled and other relative priority. Essential amenities/facilities on all stations in Karnataka including Mandya have already been provided.

State Government of Karnataka has requested for sanctioning of certain new line projects in Karnataka. The following new line projects falling in the state of Karnataka have been proposed to be included in the Railway Budget 2011-12:-

- i. Tumkur-Chitradurg-Davangere
- ii. Whitefield-Kolar
- iii. Shimoga-Harihar