

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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RISHIKESH-KARNAPRAYAG LINE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the work on Rishikesh-Karnaprayag line has started;
- (b) if so, the details of the project; and
- (c) the details of anticipated cost of the project alongwith the time frame set for its completion?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): Rishikesh-Karnaprayag new line project has been sanctioned in Railway Budget 2010-11. Preliminary activities like final location survey, geo-technical investigations etc. have been taken up. The work has been entrusted to Rail Vikas Nikam Limited for speedy implementation.

(c): The anticipated cost of the project is Rs. 4295.30 crore. The target date of completion for the project has not yet been fixed.