

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3605  
ANSWERED ON:15.12.2011  
NEW RAILWAY LINES UNDER NER ER  
Saroj Shri Tufani

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

- (a) the details and present status of new railway lines being constructed under the North-Eastern Railway (NER) and Eastern Railway (ER);
- (b) the time by which these projects are likely to be completed;
- (c) the reasons for non-completion of these projects within the stipulated period to check the cost escalation thereon; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Railways in this regard?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3605 BY SHRI TUFANI SAROJ TO BE ANSWARED IN LOK SABHA ON 15.12.2011 REGARDING NEW RAILWAY LINES UNDER NER/ER.

(a) & (b): At present, there are 5 new line on-going projects in North-Eastern Railway and 10 projects in Eastern Railway. All the projects are progressing as per availability of resources. The details are as under is given annexure.