

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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DOUBLING ELECTRIFICATION ON MEERUT TAPRI SECTION
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways propose doubling and electrification of railway lines on Meerut-Tapri route under Moradabad division.
- (b) if so, the details and present status thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the said work is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Doubling of Meerut City-Muzaffarnagar single line section (55.47 km) has been included in Railway Budget proposals 2012-13 at an anticipated cost of 289.79 crore. Doubling of Muzaffarnagar-Tapri section is presently not under consideration. Electrification of Meerut City-Tapri section is in progress.

(c): Target date of completion of Meerut City-Muzaffarnagar doubling work has not been fixed. Electrification of Meerut City-Tapri section is expected to be completed in 2012-13.