

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1478

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GAUGE CONVERSION IN THE COUNTRY

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Shamrao;Kishor Shri Kamal ;Maadam Shri Vikrambhai Arjanbhai;Mahajan Smt. Sumitra;Mahendrasinh Shri Chauhan ;Nagorao Shri  
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(Raju Rana) Shri Rajendrasinh Ghanshyamsinh;Ray Shri Rudramadhab ;Singh Shri Ganesh;Vishwanath Shri katti Ramesh

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

- (a) the details and the present status of ongoing gauge conversion works in the country, zone-wise, section-wise;
- (b) the details of the routes on which gauge conversion work has not been started yet despite getting approval for the same, zone-wise, alongwith the reasons therefor;
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Railways to expedite the completion of work thereon and complete them in a stipulated time frame; and
- (d) the details of funds allocated/spent thereon, zone-wise, Section-wise?

**Answer**

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

- (a) to (d): Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.