

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3625  
ANSWERED ON:26.04.2012  
SURVEY FOR NEW LINES IN THE COUNTRY  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details and the present status of ongoing/pending survey projects for new lines in the country, Zone-wise/State-wise/ project-wise;
- (b) the details of funds allocated/spent thereon, project-wise; and
- (c) the time frame set for completion of these projects?

**Answer**

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

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3625 BY SHRI HEMANAND BISWAL AND SHRIMATI SHRUTI CHOUDHRY TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 26.04. 2012 REGARDING SURVEY FOR NEW LINES IN THE COUNTRY

(a) & (b): 183 surveys for new line proposals spread across length & breadth of the country have been taken up. Zone-wise details of ongoing surveys are as under:-

Zonal Railway Number of surveys Outlay for surveys  
for new line proposed in 2012-13  
(Rs. in Crore)

Central 10 1.36

Eastern 2 1.19

East Central 19 0.36

East Coast 16 2.45

Northern 11 3.54

North Central 11 1.98

North Eastern 6 1.54

Northeast 9 2.2  
Frontier

North 15 1.66  
Western

Southern 13 0.75

South Central 14 2.61

South Eastern 7 0.66

South East 6 0.73  
Central

South Western 18 1.23

Western 18 1.06

West Central 8 2.26

(c): These surveys are planned to be completed in a phased manner by 30.06.2013.