

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5565
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PROPOSALS FROM ANDHRA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of proposals received by the Railways from the Government of Andhra Pradesh for laying new railway lines, gauge conversion, doubling and inclusion of more railways stations under 'Adarsh station' category;
- (b) the action taken thereon by the Railways' and
- (c) the present status thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Government of Andhra Pradesh requested for taking up/ expediting progress on 11 new lines & 2 doubling projects falling fully /partly in Andhra Pradesh. Out of these 13 proposals, 8 proposal have been taken up. Two projects namely, Bhadrachalam-Kovur and Akkanapet-Medak are proposed for sanction in Budget 2012-13. Proposal for Mannuguru-Ramagundam, Pandurangapuram-Sarpaka and Kadri-Puttaparthi has been sent to Planning Commission for 'in principle' approval. No proposal has, however, been received from Government of Andhra Pradesh for inclusion of stations under 'Adarsh Station' Scheme.