

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:372
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ERODE PALANI RAILWAY LINE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details and the present status of work on new line on Erode-Palani section (Tamil Nadu);
- (b) the details of fund allocated/spent thereon so far; and
- (c) the time by which the work on said line is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

- (a): Erode-Palani new line project has been kept frozen due to its low operational priority and a large throwforward for the ongoing projects.
- (b): An expenditure of ` 1.31crore has been incurred on this project upto March, 2012 and an outlay of `02 crore has been provided for this project during 2012-13.
- (c): No target date for completion of this project is fixed.