

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:409  
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2012  
RAILWAY LINES STATIONS IN KERALA  
Dhanaplan Shri K. P.

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

- (a) the details and the present status of work on new railway lines and railway stations in Kerala;
- (b) the details of funds allocated/spent thereon so far; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Railways to complete the said works within stipulated time frame?

**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. 409 BY SHRIK.P. DHANAPALAN TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 09.08.2012 REGARDING RAILWAY LINES/STATIONS IN KERALA.

(a) & (b): Details and present status of work on new lines falling partly or fully with the State of Kerala and railway stations in Kerala including funds allocated/spent thereon are as under:-

(Rupees in crore)

S. No.	Work incurred upto March, 2012	Expenditure 2012-13	Outlay	Status
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NEW LINE

1. Angamali- 96.96 15 This project is Sabarimala terminated at (116 Km) Azutha, short of Reserve Forest Area. Works on Angamali-Kaladi (7 Km) is targeted for completion during 2012-13.

2. Tirunnavaya- 15.15 10 Final location Guruvayur survey is held up (35 Km) due to public protest.

For the development of railway stations in the State of Kerala, the works such as upgradation as Model/Modern/Adarsh station, provision of new/extension of platform shelters, raising/extension of platforms, provision of Foot over Bridges and escalators, improvements to platforms and circulating area etc. have been taken up at total cost of ` 95.79 crores and an outlay of ` 14.32 crore has been provided during 2012-13.

(c): Projects are progressing as per availability of resources. State Government has been requested to provide necessary assistance in land acquisition and share 50% cost of Angamali-Sabarimala new line project.

