

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Diesel Locomotive Works (DLW) in North-Eastern Railway, Gorakhpur has been shut down;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Railways propose to set up any factory for electric locomotives by utilising the facilities/infrastructure of the said closed DLW; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) North-Eastern Railway, Gorakhpur did not have any Diesel Locomotive Works(DLW). Therefore the question of it being shut down or its facilities/infrastructure being put to any alternate use does not arise. However a Diesel Locomotive Works is, at present, located at Varanasi and the same is functioning very well.