

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1915
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AGREEMENT WITH GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA
Nagorao Shri Dudhgaonkar Ganeshrao

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways and the Government of Maharashtra propose to finalise an agreement for proposed elevated sub-urban rail corridor project;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the details of other projects likely to be executed under similar agreements with the Government of Maharashtra;
- (c) the financial implications likely to be involved therein; and
- (d) the time frame set for execution of works under such agreements?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Ministry of Railways and Government of Maharashtra are in the process of finalizing the state Support Agreement for the proposed Elevated Suburban Rail Corridor.

A view on any similar projects can be taken only after the State Support Agreement is finalized for the Elevated Suburban Rail Corridor.

(c): As per present day estimates the cost of the project is likely to be Rs. 20,000 Crore.

(d): No time frame has been decided at this stage.