

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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PROJECTS UNDER KONKAN RAILWAY
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of ongoing/pending railway projects under Konkan Railway including Kolhapur-Vaibhawwadi section, project-wise;
- (b) the details of funds allocated/spent thereon;
- (c) the other steps taken/being taken by the Railways to widen the railway network under Konkan Railway; and
- (d) the time frame set for the completion of the pending projects?

Answer

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

(a): There is no ongoing/pending railway project under Konkan Railway. As far as Kolhapur-Vaibhawwadi section is concerned, on the request of Maharashtra Maritime Board, only preliminary feasibility survey for the proposed Kolhapur-Vaibhawwadi rail connectivity was undertaken by Konkan Railway Corporation Limited and the report was submitted to them in April, 2010. Thereafter, no communication has been received from Maharashtra Maritime Board in this regard.

(b) to (d): Do not arise.