

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3027
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KHURJA KASGANJ RAILWAY LINE
Chauhan Raj Kumari

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the laying of new railway line on Khurja- Atrauli-Kasganj section has not started despite completion of survey long ago;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) the present status of the work on the said section;
- (d) the details of funds allocated/spent thereon so far; and
- (e) the time frame set for completion of the said project ?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): Survey for Khurja-Atrauli- Kasganj new line has been completed. The project proposal was sent to Planning Commission for necessary approval. Planning Commission has sought to know the justification for taking up the line with diesel traction. It has been decided to examine the feasibility of taking up the line with electric traction.

(c)to(e): Do not arise.