

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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SURVEY/NEW LINE PROJECTS

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details and the present status of survey/new line projects on Gaya-Daltonganj and Jalgaon-Solapur sections;
- (b) the steps taken/being taken by the Railways to complete the said projects in a time bound manner; and
- (c) the time frame set for completion of the said projects?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI ADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY)

(a) to (c): Gaya-Daltonganj (137 Km.) new line is a sanctioned project. Preliminary activities have been taken on this project & Final Location Survey has been completed. Project is progressing as per availability of resources. Time frame for completion has not yet been fixed.

Jalgaon-Solapur new line project is not a sanctioned work. Survey for this 453.76 km long new line has been conducted and the cost of the proposed new line is Rs. 3161.13 crore with (-)5.94% rate of return.