

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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RAILWAY STATION
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the present status of construction of Nedumbassery railway station in Kerala,
- (b) the details of funds allocated/spent thereon so far;
- (c) the steps being taken by the Railways to complete the said work within a stipulated timeframe; and
- (d) the time by which it is likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRIADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY)

(a) to (d): The work of construction of a halt station at Nedumbassery has been sanctioned in the Budget 2010-11 at a cost of Rs. 93 lakhs with the stipulation that closure of level crossing No. 64 at Km 80/80-90, will be agreed by the State Government, without construction of Road Over Bridge (ROB). State Government of Kerala has already been requested in this regard. Despite repeated requests, their consent for closure of the said level crossings, has not been received so far and work of halt station is held up on this account.