

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1282
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SURVEY FOR LAYING RAIL LINE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have carried out any survey for laying a new rail line between Gazol to Ghugaina under North Frontier Railways;
- (b) if so, the details thereof indicating the amount sanctioned for this project; and
- (c) the time by which the work on this line is likely to be started and completed?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): Yes, Madam. The survey for new line from Gunjaria to Gazole was completed in 2008-09. The cost of 107 km long line was assessed as Rs.562 crore with rate of return of (-) 7.29%. The project is, however, not sanctioned.

(c): Does not arise.