GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3235 ANSWERED ON:13.12.2012 MMTS PROJECTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH Reddy Shri Modugula Venugopala

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details and the present status of Multi Model Transport System (MMTS) phase-II projects in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) the details of funds allocated/spent thereon;

(c) whether the Railways propose to engage private sector and the State Government in the said projects;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the time-frame set for completion of the said projects?

Answer

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

(a) The Multi Model Transport System (MMTS) phase-II project in Andhra Pradesh, has been sanctioned by the Cabinet Committee on Infrastructure (CCI) in its meeting held on 1.03.2012. Preliminary works have been started by the Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. (RVNL) who are executing this work on behalf of Railways.

(b) 99 crore has been allocated for the year 2012-13 and expenditure of approximately 5.50 lakh has been incurred till date.

(c) & (d) The MMTS phase-II project is proposed to be implemented by the Railways with the participation of the Government of Andhra Pradesh. Government of Andhra Pradesh has agreed to contribute 2/3 of cost of this project.

(e) The project is expected to be completed in a period of three years, subject to availability of funds.