GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways propose to undertake some works requiring unskilled labour under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA);
- (b) if so, the details and the present status thereof; and
- (c) the areas of works identified for the purpose?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Government of Rajasthan has sanctioned some works in vicinity of Railway track where track crossing is also involved. Some of these track crossing works are being executed under MNREGA scheme wherever agreed by State Govt. Such work is being undertaken under Railways supervision. However, other State Governments have not come forward to sponsor any such work under MNREGA schemes.