GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:108 ANSWERED ON:05.12.2013 STATIONS IN KARNATAKA Vishwanath Shri katti Ramesh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Railway stations in Karnataka proposed to be upgraded including Stations under Belgaum district;

(b) the number of stations upgraded/renovated in Karnataka along with the details of expenditure incurred thereon during the last three years and the current year, station- wiseÂÂ; and

(c) the time by which such pending works are likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.108 BY SHRI RAMESH VISWANATH KATTI TO BE ANSWERRED IN LOK SABHA ON 05.12.2013 REGARDING STATIONS IN KARNATAKA.

(a) to (c): 26 stations, including three stations in Belgaum District, have so far been identified for upgradation under the 'Adarsh' Station scheme in the state of Karnataka. Out of these, 18 stations have already been developed. Remaining 8 stations are planned for completion during 2013-14 and 2014-15 subject to availability of funds. Station-wise details of funds allocated/spent are not maintained. The expenditure on such work is funded under Plan Head 'Passenger Amenities'. The expenditure under Plan Head 'Passenger Amenities' on Central, Southern, South Central and South Western Railways which cover Karnataka state in addition to other stations in their jurisdiction, during the last three years and the current year is as under:

(Rupees in Crores) Expenditure Year 2010-11 2011-12 2012-13 2013-14 (upto October, 2013) Central Railway 65.00 54.77 30.85 34.68 Southern Railway 61.90 58.71 71.67 38.47 South Central Railway 110.46 94.76 87.82 58.08 South Western Railway 12.56 36.07 37.53 18.88