GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:50 ANSWERED ON:02.07.2009 UPGRADATION OF HARIHAR RAILWAY STATION Siddeswara Shri Gowdar Mallikarjunappa

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a): whether the Railways have any proposal to upgrade the Harihar Railway Station in Karnataka;
- (b): if so, the details thereof;
- (c): the estimated cost of this project; and
- (d): the time by which the work on this project is likely to be started?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): Harihar railway station in Karnataka has been selected as modern station for the purpose of modernization and giving a face lift.
- (c) & (d): Important works completed at Harihar railway station include face-lifting and remodeling of station building, improvement to circulating area, improvement to covered platform surface etc.

Further, provision of Foot Over Bridge (FOB) at this station has been planned for completion by 31st March, 2010.

Estimated cost of the above works is Rs.190.55 lakhs.

Other improvement works which have also been completed at this station include platform extension to accommodate longer trains, platform raising to high level and facilities for handicapped passengers.