

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:308
ANSWERED ON:10.12.2009
ROAD OVER BRIDGES
Sachan Shri Rakesh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Road Over-Bridges (ROBs) which are under construction in different States as on date, project-wise;
- (b) whether the Railways propose to construct more ROBs including one in Khaga, Uttar Pradesh;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the time by which the pending proposals will be decided?

Answer

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS(KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF THE STARRED QUESTION NO. 308 BY SHRI RAKESH SACHAN TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 10.12.2009 REGARDING ROAD OVER BRIDGES.

(a): Details of Road Over- Bridges (ROBs) under construction in different States as on 1.12.2009 is attached as Appendix.

(b) & (c): Yes Madam. Railways construct Road over/under bridges in lieu of existing level crossings (LC) on cost sharing basis if the traffic density at the L.C reaches at one lakh Train Vehicle Units (TVUs-A unit obtained by multiplying the number of trains to the number of road vehicles passing over the level crossings in 24 hours) otherwise on deposit terms, proposals for which are sponsored by concerned State Govt. duly fulfilling certain preliminary pre-requisites required under extant rules viz. undertaking to bear their share of cost, closure of LC on completion of work, advance action to acquire land for approaches, etc. Level crossing (LC) No.37 at Km.907/31-33 near Khaga has a traffic density of 3,14,963 TVUs. This qualifies for replacement by ROB on cost sharing basis. State Govt. has been furnished with the list of LCs having traffic density of one lakh or more TVUs and requested to make proposals for ROBs in lieu thereof. This LC is also included in that list but no proposal has been received from the State Govt. of Uttar Pradesh

(d): Proposal will be decided after it is sponsored by State Govt.