

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3370
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FUNDS FOR RAILWAY PROJECTS,ANDHRA PRADESH
Ponnam Shri Prabhakar

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have received any request from the Government of Andhra Pradesh for the sanctioning of funds for railway projects and new projects which are to come up in Eleventh Five Year Plan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken by the Railways thereon?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Yes Madam. Request from Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh has been received for allotment of funds for ongoing projects and taking up new projects. Funds are allotted for sanctioned works yearly, keeping in view stage of the project and availability of resources. About Rs.800 crore has been provided in Railway Budget 2009-10 for the projects falling partly/fully in Andhra Pradesh. For new projects, surveys have been conducted/taken up wherever necessary.