

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3379
ANSWERED ON:10.12.2009
RAIL PROJECTS IN RAJKOT AND VADODARA
Pratapsinh Shri Chauhan Prabhatsinh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of completed/ongoing rail line works in Rajkot and Vadodara Divisions of Western Railways during the last three years alongwith the total number of road over/under bridges and manned/unmanned crossings built therewith;
- (b) whether all these works were executed/are progressing as per schedule; and
- (c) if not, the reasons for delay, project-wise?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): A statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3379 BY SHRI P.P. CHAUHAN TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 10.12.2009 REGARDING RAIL PROJECTS IN RAJKOT AND VADODARA.

(a) to (c): Details of ongoing projects in the Rajkot and Vadodara division area and their status is as under:

S. Name of the Projects Status with target wherever fixed
No.

1. Chhota Udepur-Dhar Final Location Survey taken up.
(157 km) New line. Target not yet fixed.
2. Bharuch-Samni-Dahej Project is being executed by Rail
(62.36 km) Gauge conversion. Vikas Nigam Limited.Earthwork,bridges,etc.
taken up.
3. Pratapnagar-Chhota Udepur Pratapnagar-Dabhoi-Bodeli section (70 km)
(99.27 km) Gauge conversion. completed.
4. Ankleshwar-Rajpipla(62.89 km) Work taken up and MG trains stopped for
Gauge conversion conversion under Mega Block to BG.
5. Surendranagar-Dhrangdhara The work is nearing completion.
(34.48 km) Gauge conversion

In completed section of Pratapnagar- Dabhoi- Bodeli of Pratapnagar- Chhota Udepur gauge conversion project, 7 additional Road Under Bridges have been built.

The projects are being progressed as per the availability of resources.