

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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COMPLETION OF RAIL ROUTES
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have any proposal for laying of rail routes under South Central Railway as per the original railway programme which was stopped some years back;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

- (a): All the sanctioned railway projects having requisite government clearances falling under South Central Railway have been taken up and none of them has been stopped.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c) Completion of a project depends upon several factors including availability of funds, land acquisition, forestry clearances, shifting of utilities etc. Since most of these factors are beyond the control of Ministry of Railways, time frame for completion of projects has not been fixed.