

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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PARTICIPATION IN CONSTRUCTION OF RAIL LINK
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether India is participating in the construction of the rail link between the Mediterranean and the Red Sea Coasts;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the benefits likely be accrued to Indian companies as a result thereof;
- (d) whether this rail link can be used for future gas exports from Israel; and
- (e) If so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS [GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD)]

- (a) to (e) There have been no official discussions on any such issue with any other country.