

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5193  
ANSWERED ON:14.08.2014  
RAILWAY LINE ON GUNA ETAWAH SECTION  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the entire section of Guna-Etawah including Bhind-Etawah has been completed and commissioned;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, section-wise and the funds incurred on the projects;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the steps taken/being taken by the Railways in this regard?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (d) : Guna-Etawah (345 km) new line project has been sanctioned at an anticipated cost of Rs. 608 crore. An expenditure of Rs. 569 crore has been incurred upto March, 2014 and an outlay of Rs. 20 crore has been provided during 2014-15. Guna-Bhind (309 km) section has already been completed. In Bhind-Etawah (36 km) section, track linking has been completed and finishing works have been taken up. However, forestry clearance for 24 hect. forest land has not been given by Ministry of Environment and Forests.