GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:841 ANSWERED ON:27.11.2014 ROAD OVER BRIDGES AND UNDER BRIDGES

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Road Over Bridges (ROB) and Road Under Bridges (RUB) and Level Crossings which are under construction, State/UT-wise including Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Rajasthan, Maharashtra and Chandigarh;
- (b) whether the Railways propose to construct ROB in lieu of railway level crossings at IRT and Phulpur under Allahabad district and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the total number of applications received by the Railways during 2013-14 for said projects, State/UT-wise including the aforesaid States/UT;
- (d) the total number of such projects sanctioned/proposed to be taken up, State-wise including MP; and
- (e) the steps taken/being taken by the Railways to expedite the completion thereof in a time-bound manner?

Answer

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

- (a) to (e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House. STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF PARTS (a) TO (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 841 BY SHRI DILEEP SINGH BHURIA, SHRI KESHAV PRASAD MAURYA, SHRI TAMRADHWAJ SAHU, SHRIMATI KIRRON KHER, SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL, COL. SONARAM CHOUDHARY, SHRI RAJU SHETTI, SHRI RAMDAS C. TADAS, SHRI C.R. CHAUDHARY, SHRI GANESH SINGH AND SHRI ANOOP MISHRA TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 27.11.2014 REGARDING ROAD OVER BRIDGES AND UNDER BRIDGES.
- (a) & (d): There is no level crossing under construction in any of the State. The State-wise details of Road Over Bridges (ROB) and Road Under Bridges (RUB) sanctioned are as under:

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SN State ROB RUB/Subways Total
1 Andhra Pradesh 59 71 130
2 Assam 0 84 84
3 Bihar 74 138 212
4 Chhattisgarh 19 36 55
5 Delhi 2 4 6 6 Goa 5 0 5
7 Gujarat 95 480 575
8 Haryana 55 182 237
9 Jharkhand 36 78 114
10 Karnataka 61 176 237
11 Kerala 64 62 126
12 Madhya Pradesh 61 361 422
13 Maharashtra 46 189 235
14 Orissa 20 69 89
15 Puducherry 6 0 6
16 Punjab 45 92 137
17 Rajasthan 59 1686 1745
18 Tamil Nadu 124 298 422
19 Telangana 26 23 49
20 Uttar Pradesh 241 677 918
21 Uttarakhand 10 1 11
22 West Bengal 108 159 267
Grand Total 1216 4866 6082
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76 near IERT, Allahabad, joint site feasibility for construction of ROB was carried out in September 2007 by officials of Railway, Nagar Nigam Allahabad & Uttar Pradesh Bridge Corporation. During joint site inspection, it was found that ROB is not feasible at this location due to presence of Government Office and other public utilities like telephone lines, electric line and water supply pipelines. ROB in lieu of LCs 28 Spl. Phulpur Station West Yard Based on the request of public representatives, Railway has approached State Govt. to submit the proposal for the construction of ROB at this location along with the required consents for sharing of cost and closure of LCs.

- (c): Proposals for construction of ROB/RUB in lieu of LCs are normally received by zonal railways from State Government and other Statutory Authorities. After completing various formalities with State Government/Statutory Authorities, regarding the consent for sharing of cost and closure of LCs, proposals received for construction of ROBs/RUBs in lieu of LCs are further processed for their inclusion in Railway Works Programme. This is a continuous process.
- (e): Due to limited availability of resources (approx. Rs.1100 crore per annum) and huge throwforward of already sanctioned works

(Rs.25000 crores), the works are progressing to the extent possible as per time schedule and funds are allocated to only those projects where State Government has already started the work or likely to start the work of approaches.