GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3668 ANSWERED ON:15.12.2014 LAYING OF RAIL LINE Laguri Smt. Sakuntala

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to lay a new railway line between Baspani and Bimlagarh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be implemented?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): In order to assess the feasibility & viability of laying a new line between Banspani & Bimalgarh, a Survey between Banspani & Barsuan was completed in 2010 as Barsuan & Bimalgarh are already connected by rail. As per the survey report, the cost of the project was assessed as `786 crore. However, due to huge throwforward of ongoing projects and limited overall availability of resources, the project has not been sanctioned.