Title: Need to take up construction of new railway line between Jhargram and Purulia, West Bengal during the next financial year.

SHRI BIR SINGH MAHATO (PURULIA): The construction of new railway line between Jhargram to Purulia is a long-standing demand of the people of Purulia, Bankura and Midnapore districts of West Bengal. This line will run through the thickly tribal populated area. The survey work of this railway project has been completed in 1998.

I urge upon the Central Government to take up the Railway project in the next financial year.