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Title: Need to construct a new railway line between Kollengode to Thrissur in Southern Railway.

SHRI N.N. KRISHNADAS (PALGHAT): A survey was conducted to construct a new railway line from Kollengode to Thrissur in Southern Railways. The survey report has been submitted before the railway authorities. The distance between Kollengode to Thrissur is round about 50 KMs. only. If this railway line is constructed, the important pilgrim centres of South India like Guruvayoor, Pazhani, Madurai will be well connected and it will be very much viable and helpful for the freight movement from Pollachi. If completed, this route will be the corridor for the container transportation from Vallarpadam Container Transshipment Terminal at Cochin which is expected in 2009.

So, I urge upon the Government to start the construction of new railway line between Kollengode to Thrissur at the earliest.