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S. No.	Name of the Company	Item of manufacture & annual capacity.	Estimated Ex- factory value.
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1. M	/s. Boehringer Knoll Ltd.	Chloramphenicol (from 30 tonnes to 60 tonnes	s) Rs. 200 lakhs.
2.	Do.	Phenformin Hcl-1 tonne	Rs. 5 lakhs.
	Do. /s. Suhrid-Geigy Ltd.	Phenformin Hcl—1 tonne Parazoledin tablets—240 lakh Nos.	Rs. 5 lakhs. Rs. 35·2 lakhs.
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## Track Modernisation

2695. DR. P. V. PERIASAMY: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the trunk routes taken up under intensive programme of track modernisation; and
- (b) the salient features of the scheme in this regard and the estimated cost of the master plan for modernising track structure?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) A list of trunk outes included in track modernisation programme is enclosed.

(b) The salient features of Track Modernisation are use of heavier rails, welding of rail joints, laying of concrete sleepers and elastic fastenings, increase of sleeper density and ballast cushion, tie-temping by mechanical methods, monitoring of Permanent Way by Track Recording and Oscillograph Cars for an accurate and objective assessment of track parameters Ultrasonic detection of rails for hidden flaws, improved methods of track maintenance etc. etc. About 14,000 Kms. of track is earmarked for such modernisation in the Railway Corporate Plan at an approximate cost of Rs. 750 crores.

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List of track routes proposed to be adopted for track modernisation.

- (i) New Delhi to Howrah.
- (ii) New Delhi to Bombay Central by Frontier Mail route.
- (iii) New Delhi to Madras Central by Grand Trunk route.
- (iv) Howeah-Nagpur-Bombay V.T.
- (v) Allahabad—Jabalpur.
- (vi) Itarsi-Bhusawal.
- (vii) Kalyan—Pune—Dhond—Wadi— Secunderabad—Kazipet.
- (viii) Kharagpur-Waltair-Bezwada.
- (ix) Wadi—Raichur—Arkonam— Madras Central.
- (x) Howrah—Bandel—Burdwan.
- (xi) Khanna—Barharwa over the Farakka Bridge—Malda Town Barsoi—New Jalpaiguri.
- (xii) Sitarampur— Madhupur Kiul— Patna—Mughalsarai.
- (xiii) Kiul-Sahibganj-Barharwa.
- (xiv) Delhi—Ambala Cantt.—Kalka.
- (xv) Ambala Cantt.—Ludhiana—Pathankot.
- (xvi) Ambala Cantt.,—Moradabad— Lucknow—Pratapgarh—Mughalsarai.
- (xvii) Arkonam-Katpadi-Jalparpet-Saleem-Erode-Coimbatore.
- (xviii) Baroda-Ahmedabad.
- (xix) Jalarpet-Bangalore