

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1551
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ROBS AT ANAYARA AND MELARANNOOR LEVEL CROSSINGS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government propose to construct rail over bridges at Anayara and Melarannoor level crossings in Trivandrum Division:
- (b) if so, the details thereof : and
- (c) the time by which these ROBs are likely to be constructed ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BASANAGOUDA R. PATIL)

(a) & (b): A proposal for construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of LC No. 578 at Km. 217/4- 5 between Trivandrum and Quilon Stations near Anayara has been received from State Govt. for inclusion in the Works Programme of 2004-05. However no proposal has been received for construction of Road Over Bridge at Melarannoor from State Govt.

(c): Proposals received from State Govt. are scrutinized for their feasibility and fulfillment of pre-requisites required under extant rules. On inclusion of the works in the Works Programme of Railways, the General Arrangement Drawings and detailed estimate are prepared and sanctioned jointly by Railways and State Government. The completion period depends on the completion of approaches by State Govt. also. Railways will ensure completion of their portion of bridge proper across Railway tracks along with the work on approaches by State Govt.