

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:410  
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UNECONOMIC RAIL LINES  
ALE NARENDRA

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) Whether under the present policy, Railways propose to entrust the un-economic railway lines to private agencies under certain terms and conditions;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government have received any request for operation of the Joravarnagar - Sayla (NG) Railway Line (Western Railway);
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the reaction of the Government thereto?

**Answer**

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

- (a): No, Sir.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c): No, Sir.
- (d) & (e): Do not arise.