

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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CONSTRUCTION OF LC GATE/ROAD UNDER BRIDGE AT SELU RAILWAY STATION

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a request from Municipal Council, Selu, Parbhani (Maharashtra) regarding construction of L.C. gate or road under bridge at Selu Railway Station in S.C. railway is pending with the Government for the last eight years;

(b) whether the Selu Municipal Council, local MP and MLA have also given an undertaking to bear the cost of LC Gate/road under bridge;

(c) if so, the reasons for delay in construction of L.C. Gate/RUB, which causing great inconvenience to half of the population of Selu town; and

(d) the fresh steps taken by the Government to construct LC Gate/RUB at Selu Railway Station?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a): No, Sir. The request of President, Municipal Council, Selu for construction of L.C. gate was examined and it was found that the location falls in Selu Station Yard. Since, extant provisions regarding construction of level crossing provide that no level crossing should be provided within the Station Yard, the request could not be conceded. However, the provision of Road Under Bridge has been found feasible on deposit terms & the Collector/Parbhani has been advised of the decision.

(b) to (d): The Hon'ble Member of Parliament of the area and Councilor, Parbhani have requested the Railways to give an estimate for construction of Road Under Bridge at the location. The estimate for construction of Road Under Bridge for light vehicles only amounting to Rs.38.66 lakhs has been sent to Collector/ Parbhani on 18.2.2003. He has also been advised to deposit Rs.77,325/- for taking up preparation of plans and detail estimate. No reply has been received from Collector/Parbhani so far.