

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:322

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CONSTRUCTION OF OVERBRIDGES AT LEVEL CROSSINGS

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received some proposals for the construction of overbridges at railway level crossings from various States, particularly in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the action taken by the Union Government thereon; and

(d) the places where overbridges are proposed to be constructed in various States ?

Answer

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI LALU PRASAD)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. 322 BY SHRI YOGI ADITYA NATH AND SHRI J.M. AARON RASHID TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 15.12.2005 REGARDING CONSTRUCTION OF OVERBRIDGES AT LEVEL CROSSINGS.

(a) to (d): Railway takes up works for Road Over/Under Bridges (ROB/RUB) in lieu of existing busy level crossings on cost sharing basis where traffic density is more than 1 lakh Train Vehicle Units (TVUs) (TVU- A unit obtained by multiplying the number of trains with the number of road vehicles passing over the level crossing in 24 hours). These works are considered by Railway based on the proposals sponsored by State Govt./local bodies duly fulfilling certain preliminary requisites. In case of level crossing where traffic density is less than 1 lakh TVUs proposals are considered on deposit basis for which initial cost of construction and recurring maintenance charges are borne by sponsoring authority. At present, there are total 443 ROB/RUB works sanctioned on cost sharing basis in the country, the list of which is provided in the Works, Machinery and Rolling Stock Programme of Railways presented to Parliament alongwith Railway Budget documents. Out of these 29 works fall in Uttar Pradesh. The list of works in Uttar Pradesh is appended.

As far as action of Railway on the proposals sent by various States is concerned, standard procedure is followed in all such cases. State Govt. is required to submit undertaking viz., closure of level crossing on commissioning of ROB/RUB, advance action for acquisition of land for approaches, joint inspection of site, preparation and approval of General Arrangement Drawings, estimate for approaches etc. The proposals are checked by Railway for ascertaining feasibility of construction at site. The progress of ongoing sanctioned works and their throwforward etc. is also taken into account and based on the above, an overall view is taken for sanction of new proposals for inclusion in Railway Budget/ Supplementary Demand for Grants. Every year a number of proposals are received by Railway from different State Govts. for including the works in Railway Budget. The process is already on for finalization of Railway's Works Programme 2006-07.

APPENDIX REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. 322 BY SHRI YOGI ADITYA NATH AND SHRI J.M.AARON RASHID TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 15.12.2005 REGARDING CONSTRUCTION OF OVERBRIDGES AT LEVEL CROSSINGS.

List of sanctioned Road Over/Under Bridge works in State of Uttar Pradesh.

| S.No. | Name of work | Year of sanction |
|-------|--|------------------|
| 1 | Kanpur - Widening of ROB near Tat Mill crossing at Km 1017/31-35. | 2003-04 |
| 2 | Lucknow ROB in lieu of LC No. 215/3T at Km 1071/371.35 between Lucknow-Rai Bareilly station. | 2002-03 |
| 3 | Akbarpur ROB in lieu of LC No 83/A at Km 907/2-3 between Lucknow-Faizabad section. | 2002-03 |
| 4 | Iradatganj - ROB in lieu of | 1998-99 |

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| | Lxing No.430/A @1341/4 on Katni-Allahabad section. | |
| 5 | ROB in lieu of Lc No 8ML at Km 773/11-12 between Badshahnagar- daliganj stations in Lucknow- Malhaur section. | 2003-04 |
| 6 | ROB in lieu of LC No 3A (T) between Lucknow Junction and Ashbagh station. | 2002-03 |
| 7 | ROB at Rampur (NH 24) in lieu of level crossing No 1. | 1995-96 |
| 8 | Gaziabad - Tundla section ROB in lieu of LC No.112-C/3 at Km. 1329/19-21 near Aligarh. | 2002-03 |
| 9 | Bijnor-Najibabad section ROB in lieu of LC No.484-A at Km. 1498/13-14 on Bijnor - Najibabad Road. | 2002-03 |
| 10 | ROB in lieu of LC No. 1/B CNB Crossing) at km. 2/31-3 and 218-A (hardoi crossing) at Km. 1076/3-4 on Lucknow-Alamnagar & Lucknow - Kanpur main railway lines respectively at Lucknow. | 2004-05 |
| 11 | Manduadih Station yard - on of ROB in lieu of LC No. 4/A on western end. | 2004-05 |
| 12 | Etawah ROB in lieu of LC No 27. | 2005-06 |
| 13 | Gaziabad - Moradabad section ROB in lieu of LC No.26-A at Km. 30/20 near Amroha. | 2002-03 |
| 14 | ROB in lieu of Lc No.129 between Deoria Sadar - Nunkhar. | 1998-99 |
| 15 | ROB between Izatnagar- Bareilly city stations in lieu of Lc No 244, at Km 314/4- 5 on Izatnagar-Bareilly section. | 2003-04 |
| 16 | Delhi-Saharanpur(Sakoti) - ROB in lieu of LC No. 40-B at Km.91/7-8 on Gaziabad - Saranpur section. | 1996-97 |
| 17 | Hathras - ROB in lieu of LC No. 95-A at Km.1296/29-31 on CNB-GZB section. | 1996-97 |
| 18 | Kanpur - ROB in lieu of L-xing No. 79-D GT Road at Km.1016/5- 12 on ALD-CNB sec. | 1998-99 |
| 19 | Meja Road - ROB in lieu of LC No. 25-B at KM.788/11-13 on Mugalsharai-Alahabad section near Meja Road. | 1998-99 |
| 20 | Chaupala - ROB in lieu of LC No. 356-Spl, and 250/A on Muradabad-Lucknow section. | 1999-00 |
| 21 | Badshahnagar-Daliganj Road over bridge in lieu of Lc No 6- ML. | 2003-04 |
| 22 | Fatehpur - ROB alongwith subway in lieu of LC No. 50 at Km.943/3-5 on Allahabad-Kanpur section. | 1999-00 |
| 23 | ROB at Lucknow City in Lieu of LC No.6 between Daliganj & Mahibullahpur. | 1998-99 |
| 24 | Rampur - ROB in lieu of LC No. 403-A on Muradabad-Lucknow section. | 1999-00 |
| 25 | ROB between Mahrauli and Dasna stations in lieu of Lc No 95 at Km 131/12-13 on Muradabad- Gaziabad section. | 2003-04 |
| 26 | ROB in lieu of LC no. 86-B at Km 181/10-11 on Saranpur-UMB at Sharda Nagar. | 2005-06 |
| 27 | Regirdering of RUB (Bridge No. 38) between Naini-Alahabad section. | 2005-06 |
| 28 | Hamirpur subway Regirding of Br. No. 1176/1 alongwith replacement of bearing and bed blocks. | 2005-06 |

29 Regirdering of ROB between
Idgah-Agra Fort including
rebuilding of new abutment.

2005-06