

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4318  
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CONSTRUCTION OF ROB IN PATNA  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether a railway overbridge is being constructed at Chirrayatad in Patna;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the present status thereof alongwith the time by which it is likely to be completed ?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c): The work of construction of a Road Over Bridge (ROB) at Rly kms.545/1 at Chiraiyatand (Patna) has been sanctioned on cost sharing basis with Govt. of Bihar in Railway's Works Programme of 2000-01. The total estimated cost of work is Rs. 16.89 cr. with Railway's share as Rs. 7.95 cr & State Government's share Rs. 8.94 cr. The Railway portion of work bridge proper i.e. bridge across the railway track is being constructed by Railway and approaches by State Govt./Bihar Pul Nirman Nigam Ltd. The bridge is to be completed in two phases. In 1st phase construction of new two lane bridge shall be completed and after commissioning of 1st phase, existing bridge will be dismantled and another two lane bridge will be constructed. Presently work is in progress on Railway portion as well as on approaches. The completion time shall depend on completion of approaches by State Govt. also. Railway shall make all possible efforts to complete its portion of work alongwith the work on approaches.