

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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CONSTRUCTION OF NEW RAIL LINES
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the length of new rail line constructed in the country during the last three years along with the total amount spent on it;
- (b) whether any target has been fixed for laying new rail lines in Maharashtra during the current financial year; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a): The total length of new rail lines constructed during the last three years is 434 kms. The expenditure incurred on all the new line projects during last three years has been about Rs.4,000 crore.

(b) & (c): The section from Amravati-Chandurbazar (44 kms) of Amravati-Narkher new line project is targeted for completion during 2004-05.