

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2371
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DOUBLING OF HOSPET HUBLI VASCO RAILWAY LINE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Railways are doubling of Hospet-Hubli-Vasco railway line;
- (b) since when the work has been started on the said project;
- (c) the total expenditure incurred on the project so far; and
- (d) the time by which the work is likely to be completed?

Answer

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

- (a): On Hospet-Hubli-Vasco Da Gama rail line, Dharwad-Kambarganvi and Hubli-Hebsur patch doublings have been included in the Supplementary Budget 2006-07. These works would be taken up once Budget is passed by the Parliament.
- (b) & (c): Do not arise.
- (d): No target date has been fixed.