

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1294
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GAUGE CONVERSION BETWEEN BADDI- CHANDIGARH
Singh Smt. Pratibha

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether approval has been given for laying new railway line between Chandigarh and Baddi; and
- (b) if so, the time by which the work on the project is likely to be started?

Answer

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

- (a) : Government has accorded 'in principle' approval to the new line from Chandigarh to Baddi.
- (b) : No time frame could be fixed. The work would be taken up once project is finally approved by the Government.