

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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RAILWAY TRACK IN JAMMU AND KASHMIR
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the length in kilometres of the single railway track in the Jammu and Kashmir region;
- (b) whether the Railways have any plan of converting it into a double track; and
- (c) if so, the time by which it is likely to be implemented?

Answer

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

(a): The length of single line railway track in Jammu & Kashmir as on 31.03.2007 is 137.77 kilometres.

(b)&(c): The doubling of Jalandhar - Jammu Tawi line, part of which falls in Jammu & Kashmir, is already in progress and complete double line on this route will be available by 2008-09.