

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1271
ANSWERED ON:02.03.2006
RAILWAY PROJECTS IN ORISSA
Oram Shri Jual

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the railway projects launched by the Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. in Orissa;
- (b) the find proposed to be spent in each of these projects; and
- (c) the progress made so far on these projects and the time by which these projects are likely to be completed ?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): A Statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1271 BY SHRI JUAL ORAM TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 02.03.2006 REGARDING RAILWAY PROJECTS IN ORISSA.

(a) to (c): The details of projects transferred to Rail Vikas Nigam Ltd. (RVNL) in Orissa are given as under:

S.No. Name of Length Antici- Exp. Outlay Progress & Target for
Project (in pated upto 2005- completion wherever
kms) Cost Mar`05 06 fixed.
(Rs.in (Rs.in (Rs.in
crore) crore) crore)

SANCTIONED

- 1 Khurda Road- 35 200 0 30 Final location survey completed.
Barang 3rd line Project is to be implemented with
Doubling Asian Development Bank (ADB) funding.
Tenders for construction work opened
on 30.12.05.Target for completion
2007-08.
- 2 Cuttack- 12 165 6.73 30 Substructure for Kuakhai bridge taken up.
Barang Tenders for construction work opened on
Doubling 30.12.05. Target for completion 2007-08.
- 3 Rajatgarh- 20 240 9.69 30 Final location survey completed. Land
Barang acquisition taken up and papers
Doubling submitted for 8 villages in Barang-
Naraj section.Project is to be
implemented with ADB funding. Contract
for 5 major bridges and Mahanadi bridge
awarded. Target for completion 2007- 08.
- 4 Talcher- 3 140 20.81 28.6 2nd bridge of Birupa River has been
Cuttack-Paradeep commissioned on 3.12.04. Sub-structure
(2nd Bridge work on Mahanadi bridge in progress.
on Mahanadi Target for completion 2008-09.
Doubling

5 Daitari- 155 883 529.14 128.61 The line between Banspani-Joruli-Keonjhar
Banspani (57 Kilometre) has been completed.
New Line Earthwork, bridgework and other works
are in advance stage in Keonjhar-Tomka
(Daitari) (98 KMs) section. Track works
taken up. Target for completion 2006-07.

6 Haridaspur- 82 456 30 20 Final location survey has been completed.
Paradeep Land acquisition is in progress and land
New Line for 799 crores out of 1303 acres acquired.
MOU has already been signed on 24.5.05
for formation of Special Purpose Vehicle
(SPV). Tender for bridges over Mahanadi
and Luna rivers awarded. Target for
completion 2008- 09.

7 Angul-Sukinda 98 523 0.78 0.10 Bankability study completed and work
New Line transferred to RVNL recently.

8 Kharagpur- 540 371.01 317.21 19.5 423 RKMs have been energised till Mar.`05.
Bhubneswar Talcher-Cuttack-Target for
including completion 2006-07.
Paradeep
Railway
Electrification

9 Bhubaneswar- 417 322.71 290.08 5 The entire section energised.
Kottavalasa
Railway
Electrification

UNSANCTIONED PROJECTS

10 Bhadrak-Dhamra 60 18 0 0 Port authorities have to construct the
New Line line as private railway once the port
takes off.

11 Chhatarpur- 18 60 0 0 Gopalpur port is yet to come up. Planning
Gopalpur New for the line will be done after the port
Line concessions are awarded by State Govt.
of Orissa.