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Title: Need to maintain standards in the ongoing construction of rail under bridge at Nangangud railway station in Karnataka besides expediting its completion.

SHRI R. DHYUVANARAYANA (CHAMRAJANAGAR): The Mysore-Chamrajanagar section in the South Western Railway Zone requires more allocations in the railway budget. Nanjangud Town is an important railway station in this section which serves a highly developed industrial township. A rail under bridge is under construction at Nanjangud Station area but the construction has taken a long time and yet to be completed. The design of the RUB is faulty and is too narrow to allow free movement of pedestrian and vehicular traffic. Moreover, there is possibility of water logging during rains which may block the traffic at the intersection.

I have made several visits to the site of the RUB and observed that the quality of the construction is not upto the mark compared to the standards railways has set for such projects where public safety is of paramount importance. I urge upon the Government to ensure that the shortcomings cited above are set right and project completed fast.