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Title: Need to strengthen and convert bridge number 244 at Bodinaickanpatti under Salem Division, Southern Railway, Tamil Nadu into RCC BOX Bridge.

SHRI S. SEMMALAI (SALEM): The existing Railway under bridge number 244 situated at Bodinaickanpatti, near Suramangalam Railways Junction which comes under Salem Railway Division, Southern Railway, Tamil Nadu needs to be strengthened and converted into RCC BOX. The urgent necessity for the conversion in RCC BOX has already been appraised many times. The Salem Railway Divisional Authority also had sent a proposal to strengthen the bridge. But for want of fund the proposal was stalled. This is a long felt need. Therefore, I request the Ministry of Railways to act on this and fulfil the much awaited expectation in the current financial year (2011-2012) itself.