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Title: Need to expedite completion of pending railway projects in Jharkhand.

SHRI NISHIKANT DUBEY (GODDA): I had pointed out many Railway projects which have already been sanctioned, and are stuck in red-tapism and needless delays at various levels-Ministry, Government of Jharkhand district administration. Less than two years are left now to undertake development works for the benefit of people. I would request the Minister to intervene personally and have the backlogs cleared-

The Projects are:

- (1) Hansdiha - Godda
- (2) Pirpainti - Jasidih
- (3) Vikramshila - Katerian bridge at Bateshwarsthan
- (4) Godda - Pakur
- (5) Chitra - Basukinath
- (6) Upliftment of Jasidih Station:
  - (a) Washing pit.
  - (b) Second entry.
  - (c) By—pass
- (7) New Halts
  - (a) Arjun Nagar
  - (b) Saliya
  - (c) Dhawatand
- (8) Madhupur Railway Station Development.
- (9) New Trains-
  - (a) Deoghar-Howrah
  - (b) Deoghar-Delhi
  - (c) Daily-Poorva

(d) Three days-Rajdhani-via-Jasidih

I, therefore, urge the Government to take immediate steps in this regard.