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Title: Regarding a new railway line from Tellichery in Kerala to Mysore in Karnataka.

SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN (VADAKARA): The Tellichery-Mysore Railway Line is a long cherished demand of the people of Malabar as this project will considerably reduce the distance between Kerala and Northern India. This line will also help development and economic prosperity of the whole area. Several surveys have been conducted by Railways to determine the feasibility of this project. The Government of Kerala has recently entrusted DMRC for a feasibility study of the project. The Government of Kerala and Karnataka have evinced interest in the project on cost sharing basis. I request that this important proposal must receive the attention of Railways and adequate steps may be taken to fulfill the demands of the people of this area.