

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 237
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.08.2021**

SILAPATHAR – BAME (ALONG) LINE

***237. SHRI PRADAN BARUAH:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has initiated a new Broad Gauge Line from Silapathar-Bame (Along); and**
- (b) if so, the details thereof including Gauge, length and States covered?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) and (b): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) AND (b) OF
STARRED QUESTION NO. 237 BY SHRI PRADAN BARUAH TO BE
ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 04.08.2021 REGARDING SILAPATHAR
- BAME (ALONG) LINE**

**(a) and (b): Ministry of Defence has identified Broad Gauge line of
Silapathar - Bame - Along falling in North Eastern Region for detailed
study. Accordingly, Final Location Survey (FLS) and preparation of
Detailed Project Report (DPR) have been taken up. As per field
survey, total length of new Broad Gauge line Silapathar – Bame –
Along is 96.25 km.**

**The alignment passes through Assam and Arunachal Pradesh. The
project is not sanctioned.**
