

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 780  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.06.2019**

**WHITEFIELD-HINDUPUR RAILWAY LINE**

**780. SHRI S. MUNISWAMY:**

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the present status of Whitefield-Hindupur Railway line in Karnataka;**
- (b) whether any funds have been allocated/released for the said railway line; and**
- (c) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY**

**(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)**

**(a): On Whitefield-Hindupur rail route, Whitefield-Krishnarajapuram & Channasandra-Yelahanka sections are double Broad Gauge lines. Further, work on Yelahanka-Penukonda via Hindupur doubling and Bangalore Cantonment-Krishnarajapuram-Whitefield 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> line have been taken up.**

**(b) and (c): Yelahanka-Penukonda doubling project (121 Km) was sanctioned in 2015-16. Latest anticipated cost of the project is ₹ 958.37 crores and Budget Outlay of ₹ 132 crores has been made for this project during 2019-20.**

**Bangalore Cantonment-Krishnarajapuram-Whitefield 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> line project (37.89 Km) was sanctioned in March, 2018. Latest anticipated cost of the project is ₹ 493 crores and Budget Outlay of ₹ 51 crores has been made for this project during 2019-20.**

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