

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 467
ANSWERED ON 09.12.2022

REDEVELOPMENT OF NEW DELHI RAILWAY STATION

467 #. **SHRI BRIJLAL:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Railways have any plan to redevelop New Delhi Railway Station and if so, the details thereof and the steps taken in this regard till date;
- (b) the number of phases and the likely timeline for completion of entire re-development work of New Delhi railway station and the funds earmarked for the same; and
- (c) whether Railways is also considering redevelopment of other railway stations in the country including those from Uttar Pradesh in future and if so, the details thereof and the number of the railway stations selected for the same?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 467 BY SHRI BRIJLAL ANSWERED IN RAJYA SABHA ON 09.12.2022 REGARDING REDEVELOPMENT OF NEW DELHI RAILWAY STATION.

(a) to (c): The redevelopment project of New Delhi Railway Station has been approved by Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) recently and the project has been entrusted to Rail Land Development Authority (RLDA) for redevelopment. The master plan of the station has been approved and the clearances from various local bodies and State Government have been obtained.

The project is divided in two phases. Phase-I includes infrastructure development/redevelopment of New Delhi Railway Station. Phase-II comprises of commercial development according to the master plan of the project. The development at this scale is complex in nature which required coordination with various urban/local bodies and State Government. As such, no time frame can be indicated.

Ministry of Railways is undertaking Techno-economic Feasibility studies for redevelopment of stations. Based on the outcome of these feasibility studies, stations are planned to be taken up for redevelopment in phases, especially the stations located in major cities and important tourist destinations.

Work for redevelopment has been taken up at 43 stations while 21 stations are at different stages of tendering and planning on Indian Railways including Ayodhya, Lucknow, Ghaziabad, Gomti Nagar, Kanpur, Prayagraj and Kashi Railway Stations in the State of Uttar Pradesh.
