

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2440
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.11.2016**

NUCLEAR ENERGY EXPANSION PROGRAMME

2440. SHRIMATI MAUSAM NOOR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways is intending to fund India's nuclear energy expansion programme;**
- (b) if so, whether consultations between the Railways and Nuclear Power Corporation of India Ltd. (NPCIL) have culminated in the formalisation of a joint venture;**
- (c) if so, the details thereof;**
- (d) whether the Government has been advised against such ventures due to the challenging fiscal situation of the Indian railways; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

- (a) No, Madam.**
- (b) & (c) Do not arise.**
- (d) No, Madam.**
- (e) Does not arise.**
