

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3551  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.12.2016**

**VIJAYAWADA-MACHILIPATNAM-NARSAPUR LINE**

**3551. SHRI KONAKALLA NARAYANA RAO:**

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

- (a) the progress made in laying Vijayawada-Machilipatnam-Narsapur line; and**
- (b) the time by which the above line is likely to be completed?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)**

**(a) and (b): A Reconnaissance Engineering cum Traffic survey has been sanctioned in Budget 2016-17 for new Railway line from Narsapur-Machilipatnam ( 85 km) for which preliminary work has been taken up. A Broad Gauge line already exists from Vijayawada to Machilipatnam.**

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