

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1105
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.02.2017**

CONSTRUCTION OF PLATFORM/STATIONS

†1105. SHRIMATI KAMLA DEVI PAATLE:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of railway stations in Chhattisgarh division-wise;**
- (b) the total number of Railway Stations/ platforms made or constructed in the state during the last three years and current year division-wise;**
- (c) the details of funds allotted/spent for this purpose, division-wise;**
- (d) whether any criteria/guidelines are followed in respect of allotting funds to each division by Railways; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1105 BY SHRIMATI KAMLA DEVI PAATLE TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 08.02.2017 REGARDING CONSTRUCTION OF PLATFORM/STATIONS

(a): Total number of railway stations in Chhattisgarh division-wise as is under:

Bilaspur Division	Nagpur Division	Raipur Division	Sambalpur Division	Waltair Division
56	10	48	09	21

(b): Year-wise and Division-wise details of railway stations and platforms constructed in the State of Chhattisgarh during the last three years and the current year are as under:

Year	Division	Railway Station	Platforms
2013-14	Bilaspur	-	-
	Raipur	-	-
	Nagpur	-	-
	Sambalpur	-	-
	Waltair	-	-
Total		NIL	NIL
2014-15	Bilaspur	-	-
	Raipur	-	-
	Nagpur	-	-
	Sambalpur	-	-
	Waltair	-	-
Total		NIL	NIL
2015-16	Bilaspur	-	1
	Raipur	1	-
	Nagpur	-	-
	Sambalpur	-	-
	Waltair	-	2
Total		1	3
2016-17	Bilaspur	-	6
	Raipur	-	-
	Nagpur	-	-
	Sambalpur	-	-
	Waltair	-	2
Total		NIL	8

(c) to (e): Funds are generally allotted depending upon availability, requirement and inter-se priority of works. Division-wise details of funds allocated / spent are not maintained. Such details are maintained Zone-wise. The expenditure on works of construction of platforms / Railway stations is generally funded under Plan Head – ‘Passenger Amenities’. The details of funds allotted / spent on South East Central Railway (SECR) and East Coast Railway (ECoR), which covers the State of Chhattisgarh during the last three years and the current financial year, are as under:

(₹ in crores)

Zonal Railway	2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17		
	Revised Estimate	Exp.	Revised Estimate	Exp.	Revised Estimate	Exp.	Budget Estimate	Revised Estimate	Exp. (upto Dec'16)
South East Central Railway	40.86	44.69	39.57	36.12	48.71	31.38	33.48	29.55	20.35
East Coast Railway	44.42	36.92	55.00	40.53	60.16	57.46	40.60	47.78	36.43
