GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2120 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.03.2017

OVER BRIDGES

†2120. SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Railway overbridges in Gujarat for which the construction work is pending at present and the reasons therefor;
- (b) the present status of construction work of the said pending work of the said overbridges, project-wise; and
- (c) whether any targets have been set by the Government for the completion of the said overbridges and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(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. 2120 BY SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 15.03.2017 REGARDING OVER BRIDGES

(a) to (c): As per Pink Book 2016-17, work for construction of 115 Road Over Bridges (ROBs) have been sanctioned in the State of Gujarat. Out of these, 13 ROBs have been completed. Works for remaining 102 ROBs are at various stage of progress like planning, estimation and execution etc.

So far as status of ROBs is concerned, Railway undertakes construction of ROBs in Railway Bridge portion whereas approaches are being constructed by State Government. Completion of ROB depends on various factors like removal of encroachment, land acquisition, availability of funds and other regional priorities. Railways shall make every effort to complete its portion of work alongwith that of approaches by State Government.
