

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2774
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.08.2017**

SURVEY FOR DOUBLING OF RAILWAY LINE IN GUJARAT

2774. SHRI KUNDARIYA MOHAN BHAI KALYANJI BHAI:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of surveys which were proposed for doubling railway lines in Gujarat during the last five years *i.e.* 2011-12 to 2016-17;**
- (b) the number of surveys for doubling of railway lines that were started and completed;**
- (c) the time by which the surveys of remaining projects will be started and completed; and**
- (d) the number of railway lines the construction of which has been started?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) to (d): During the last five years *i.e.* from 2011-12 to 2016-17, 08 number surveys for doubling of railway lines falling fully/partly in the State of Gujarat have been sanctioned. Out of these, 4 surveys have been completed and remaining 4 surveys are in different stages of progress. Out of completed surveys, 2 projects have been taken up, *i.e.* Vatva-Ahmedabad-Sabarmati 4th line (13.3 km.) and Surendranagar-Rajkot doubling (116.17 km.) and 1 project *i.e.* Anand- Godhara doubling has been included in the Budget 2017-18 subject to obtaining requisite approvals from the Government.
