

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1882
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.03.2018**

SHIMOGA RAILWAY LINE

**1882. KUMARI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE:
SHRI PRATHAP SIMHA:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that the Shimoga-Shikaripur-Ranebennur and Belur-Chikmagalur-Sringeri-Shimoga railway lines are pending for years due to local problems;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) whether the Government has any plan to complete these rail lines in a fixed time frame and if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) and (b): No projects for construction of Shimoga-Shikaripur-Ranebennur and Belur-Chikmagalur-Sringeri-Shimoga new lines are sanctioned. In this regard, survey for these two lines has been taken up.

(c): Does not arise.
