

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3516  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.08.2018**

**EXTENSION OF RAILWAY LINES IN RAJASTHAN**

**3516. SHRI OM BIRLA:**

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

- (a) the details of the increase in the railway line networks during the current year and the previous three years along with the average increase in the railway lines per month during these periods;**
- (b) the details of the length of railway lines replaced/upgraded during the last three years and the current year;**
- (c) the details of the current number of projects for extension of railway lines which had been initiated and where survey to ascertain cost and feasibility has been done around the country and specifically in Rajasthan;**
- (d) whether the Government has any proposal to start railway project in Rajganjmandi-Neemuch-Bedi Sadri and if so, the details of the progress made, budget allocated along with the estimated time period which has been fixed for the completion of the project; and**
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?**

**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.**

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3516 BY SHRI OM BIRLA TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 08.08.2018 REGARDING EXTENSION OF RAILWAY LINES IN RAJASTHAN**

**(a): Details of commissioning of Railway Lines along with average increase per month for the last three years and current year up to June, 2018 are as under:-**

<b>Year</b>	<b>2015-16</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19 (up to June, 2018)</b>
<b>Commissioning in (in km)</b>	<b>2828</b>	<b>2855</b>	<b>1861.82</b>	<b>245.8</b>
<b>Average increase per month (in km)</b>	<b>235.66</b>	<b>237.92</b>	<b>155.15</b>	<b>81.9</b>

**(b): The details of track renewal and rail renewal for the last three years and current year are as under:-**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Track Renewal in complete track renewal units (CTR)</b>	<b>Rail Renewal (in Km)</b>
<b>2015-16</b>	<b>2794</b>	<b>2729</b>
<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2487</b>	<b>2597</b>
<b>2017-18</b>	<b>4023</b>	<b>4405</b>
<b>2018-19 (up to June' 2018)</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1104</b>

**(c): As on 01-04-2018, 180 New Line projects costing ₹ 356120 cr. having length 21443 km, 57 Gauge Conversion projects costing ₹ 54425 cr. having length 7995 km and 263 Doubling projects costing ₹ 211541 cr. having length 21093 km are in different stage of approval / planning / execution. This includes 32 projects in Rajasthan costing ₹ 41812 cr. having total length of 4663 km.**

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**Further, 272 surveys (including New Line, Gauge Conversion and Doubling) costing ₹ 789622 cr. having total length 36154 km have been sanctioned in last three years and current year. This includes 23 projects in Rajasthan costing ₹ 23904 cr. having length 2648 km.**

**(d) and (e): Ramganjmandi-Neemuch (111 km) New Line survey has been taken up.**

**Neemuch-Badi Sadri (48.35 km) New Line has been included in Budget 2017-18 subject to requisite clearance. Detailed project report is under examination.**

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