GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2445 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.12.2018

ROB AT SITAPUR IN UP

†2445. SHRI RAJESH VERMA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is likely to construct an overbridge over the Mahmoodabad-Kursi-Lucknow route and Biswan-Sidhauli route in view of the traffic jams on road caused due to heavy rail traffic in Sitapur, Uttar Pradesh; and
- (b) if so, the time by which work of construction of overbridge is likely to be started on both of the said routes along with the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) & (b): Level Crossings (LCs) nos. 32 at km 37/0-1 between Tehsil Fatehpur and Mahmoodabad stations of Burhwal-Sitapur section on Mahmoodabad-Kursi-Lucknow Road route and 56 at km 62/5-6 between Biswan and Persendi station of Burhwal-Sitapur section on Biswan-Sindhauli Road route are the only two LCs. These LCs do not qualify for their replacement by Road Over Bridges (ROBs) on Costsharing basis as the traffic density of these LCs is less than one lakh Train Vehicle Unit (TVU). However, ROB at these locations can be constructed on deposit terms, if the State Government is ready to bear the complete cost of construction and maintenance subject to feasibility. No proposal in this regard has been received from State Government.
