

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4014
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.07.2019
NAGPUR-NAGBHIR RAILWAY LINE**

†4014. SHRI KRUPAL BALAJI TUMANE :

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken any decision to convert Nagpur-Nagbhir railway line into broad gauge line in the railway budget; and**
- (b) if so, the time by which the same is likely to be done along with the current status thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) and (b) : Yes, Sir. The work of “Nagpur-Nagbhir railway line into broad gauge line” has been included in the Budget 2013-14. This work is being taken up by Maharashtra Rail Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited (MRIDC), a Joint Venture Company of Government of Maharashtra.

“In Principle Approval” of Ministry of Railways for this work has been given to MRIDC on 09.07.2019.

Timeframe for implementation of the project will be decided after sanction of the project.
