# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS 

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 544
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.11.2019

## DOUBLING OF YESHWANTPUR-CHANNASANDRA RAILWAY LINE PROJECT

544. SHRI P.C. MOHAN:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:
(a) the details of doubling of Yeshwantpur-Channasandra railway line project in Bengaluru and the time by which the project is likely to be completed; and
(b) the details and present status of the 48 kilometre Baiyappanahalli-Hosur track work?

## ANSWER <br> MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE \& INDUSTRY (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) The doubling work of Yeshwantpur-Channasandra railway line project with electrification for a length of $21.7 \mathbf{K m}$ has been sanctioned at a cost of Rs ₹ 330 Crores. The work is assigned to Rail Infrastructure Company (Karnataka) Limited (K-RIDE), a Joint Venture Company of Government of Karnataka and Ministry of Railways for execution on 09.09.2019. K-RIDE is gearing up to take up this project. The estimated time line for completion of this project is $\mathbf{2 - 3}$ years from now.
(b) The doubling work of Baiyappanahalli-Hosur railway line project with electrification for a length of 48 Km has been sanctioned at a cost of ₹ 449 Crores. The work is assigned to Rail Infrastructure Company (Karnataka) Limited (K-RIDE), a Joint Venture Company of Government of Karnataka and Ministry of Railways for execution on 09.09.2019. K-RIDE is gearing up to take up this project.

