

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 660  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.02.2020**

**CONSTRUCTION OF ANANDNAGAR-GHUGHLI RAILWAY LINE**

**†660. SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY:**

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

- (a) whether any proposal for the construction of new railway line from Anandnagar to Ghughli under Eastern Railways is lying pending with the Government;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether the Government proposes to sanction/approval for construction of the said new railway line;**
- (d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be completed; and**
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY**

**(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)**

**(a) to (e): The work of new Broad Gauge line Anandnagar-Ghughuli via Maharajganj was included in the Budget 2013-14 subject to the condition that the work would be taken up once the Government clearances are obtained. Government clearances have not been given, since project was found financially unviable and therefore, could not be taken forward.**

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