GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3540 TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2021

RAILWAY ELECTRIFICATION WORK

3540. SHRI SUDHAKAR TUKARAM SHRANGARE:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the current status of Railway electrification work on various sections of Miraj-Kurduwadi-Latur railway line;

(b) the target date for completion of electrification work on this line; and

(c) the steps taken by the Railways for timely completion of electrification of the said railway line?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMERCE & INDUSTRY AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (c) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3540 BY SHRI SUDHAKAR TUKARAM SHRANGARE TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 17.03.2021 REGARDING RAILWAY ELECTRIFICATION WORK

(a) Miraj-Kurduwadi section has been electrified on 04.03.2021. Work of electrification has been taken up on the balance Kurduwadi-Latur section.

(b) The completion of Electrification projects depends on various factors like clearances from the concerned Departments/State Governments/Central Ministries and resolution of law and order issues during execution, which are beyond the control of Ministry of Railways. Therefore, it is not feasible to fix time lines for completion of the project.

(c) To complete electrification of the said railway line, progress is being monitored closely and all stake holders have been advised to expedite the work.

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