

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 203  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.02.2022**

**COMMISSIONING OF THAWE-CHAPRA RAIL LINE**

**203. DR. ALOK KUMAR SUMAN:**

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

- (a) whether third line commissioning of Thawe-Chapra, Maharajganj and Captanganj is pending since long despite repeated requests to complete it;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for delay;**
- (c) whether there is alleged nexus between private bus operators and Railway officials to not complete the work so that more private buses can run, if so, the details thereof;**
- (d) whether the Railways has fixed responsibility on the construction department for not completing the third line commissioning and if so, the details thereof; and**
- (e) whether any time frame has been fixed for completion of this work and if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND  
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

**(a): There is no sanctioned work of third line from Thawe-Chapra and Maharajganj- Kaptanganj. Hence, commissioning of these sections as third line does not arise.**

**(b) to (e): Do not arise.**

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