## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3409 TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.03.2022

### **UNMANNED/MANNED LEVEL CROSSINGS IN CHHATTISGARH**

### **†3409. SHRIMATI JYOTSNA CHARANDAS MAHANT:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of unmanned/manned level crossings in Chhattisgarh;
- (b) the number of Rail Over Bridges/Rail Under Passes constructed by the Union Government in Chhattisgarh;
- (c) the number of Rail Over Bridges/Rail Under Passes whose construction work has not been completed and the time line for its completion;
- (d) the number of Rail Over Bridges/Rail Under Passes proposed to be constructed in Chhattisgarh along with the progress of previous proposed construction work, district-wise; and
- (e) whether the construction of Rail Over Bridge in Korba-Champa has not been completed even after the completion of prescribed time limit and if so, the reasons therefor and the time by which the said work is likely to be completed?

#### ANSWER

# MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

#### (SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a): There are 209 manned level crossings (LCs) and no unmanned level crossings (UMLCs) in Chhattisgarh.

(b): 67 ROBs & 159 RUBs have been constructed by Railways in Chhattisgarh.

(c) & (d): Work on 86 Nos. ROBs/RUBs is in progress. It is not feasible to fix timelines for completion of these ROBs/RUBs as construction of ROBs/RUBs depends upon the consent of State Government for closure of LCs and cost sharing, wherever applicable, availability of encroachment free land for approach roads, technical feasibility, shifting of utilities, allocation of adequate funds by State agencies, public support etc.

ROBs and RUBs are being proposed and constructed based on density of road and rail traffic at LC gates, consent of cost sharing by State Govt., sanction and execution of works on the approaches by State Government including making available land and shifting of utilities etc. As such it is not feasible to provide list of proposed construction works at this stage.

(e): The work of ROB in lieu of LC No. 337 in Champa yard, Railway portion has been completed in August'2021 by Railway. The work on approaches is being executed by State Government.

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