

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5677
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.04.2022**

DEDICATED THIRD TRACK

5677. SHRI ANTO ANTONY:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to implement a dedicated third track in the 107 kms Ernakulam-Shornur corridor in the State of Kerala;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government in this regard;**
- (c) the details of the total cost of implementation and land acquisition in this regard;**
- (d) whether the Government has any plans to extend the same in future; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c): The project of Shoranur-Ernakulam 3rd line (107 Km) has been included in Budget 2018-19 subject to requisite Government approvals. Preparation of Detailed Project Report (DPR) has been taken up which includes land requirement and cost.

(d) and (e): At present, there is no proposal under consideration for extending this proposed 3rd line.
