### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1619 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.07.2022

#### **RAILWAY PROJECTS IN ODISHA**

#### 1619. SHRI ACHYUTANANDA SAMANTA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the steps taken by the Government for railway connectivity between Nabarangpur to Junagarh and Malkangiri to Bhadrachalam;
- (b) whether there has been delay in starting the work for the two railway projects and if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the time by which these two railway projects are likely to be completed?

#### **ANSWER**

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

#### (SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c): Final Location Surveys (FLS) for new railway lines between Junagarh to Nabarangpur (118 km) and Malkangiri to Bhadrachalam (125 km) have been sanctioned. The surveys have been taken up. Further consideration of the project is possible once the Detailed Project Report (DPR) becomes available and results thereon are firmed up.

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