GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1812 TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.07.2025

YAMUNANAGAR TO CHANDIGARH RAILWAY LINE

1812. SHRI VARUN CHAUDHRY:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the proposal for laying of Yamunanagar to Chandigarh via Naraingarh railway line is pending with the Railways; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with timeframe of its completion?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) & (b): Chandigarh – Yamunanagar via Naraingarh Railway Line project has been identified by Haryana Rail Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd. (HRIDC), a Joint Venture company controlled by State Government of Haryana (51%) for development. HRIDC has prepared a feasibility study report of the project.

Railway projects are sanctioned on the basis of remunerativeness, traffic projections, last mile connectivity, missing links and alternate routes, augmentation of congested/saturated lines, demands raised by State Governments, Central Ministries, Members of Parliament, other public representatives, Railway's own operational requirement, socioeconomic considerations etc. depending upon throw forward of ongoing projects and overall availability of funds.
