## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 510 TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.12.2025

#### **EXTENSION OF RAILWAY LINE IN MIZORAM**

#### 510. SHRI RICHARD VANLALHMANGAIHA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any plan to extend the railway line beyond Sairang in Mizoram;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the proposed route and present status of the survey/planning work;
- (c) whether any budget allocation has been made for the railway extension beyond Sairang;
- (d) if so, the details of the amount allocated and financial year concerned; and
- (e) the estimated cost and expected time for completion of the proposed extension?

#### **ANSWER**

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

### (SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (e): To provide capital connectivity to Border State of Mizoram, Bhairabi - Sairang (51.38 Km.) new line project has been completed and commissioned recently in September, 2025. This project comprises of 45 tunnels, 55 major bridges and 88 minor bridges built through the difficult terrain and complex geological conditions in the region.

With the completion of this project, Aizawl becomes the fourth North-Eastern state capital, after Guwahati, Naharlagun (for Itanagar) and Agartala, to be connected to the Indian Railways network. To provide connectivity beyond Sairang in Mizoram, Final Location Survey (FLS) for Sairang - Hbichhuah (223 Km.) new line has been sanctioned for preparation of Detailed Project Report (DPR).

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