

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3273
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2015**

DELAY IN RAILWAY PROJECTS

3273. SHRI K. ASHOK KUMAR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there are any cost/time overruns due to delay in funding of Railway projects and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) the total number of projects taken up by Railways on Public Private Partnership mode through the Special Purpose Vehicles (SPVs) as on date; and**
- (c) the details of funding pattern of the SPVs for financing the project's cost of Railways?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)**

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3273 BY SHRI K. ASHOK KUMAR TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2015 REGARDING DELAY IN RAILWAY PROJECTS

(a): Railways has a large shelf of ongoing projects with limited overall availability of funds for their execution. As a result, funds are thinly spread out thus prolonging the period of completion of almost all the projects. Moreover, funds to each project are allocated every year depending on the total budget outlay, progress made in each project & relative priority. So targets for completion of projects are set every year and it is not possible to quantify cost/time overrun in real terms.

(b) & (c): Total 13 projects have been taken up through Special Purpose Vehicles (SPV) having equity partnership of Ministry of Railways or its entities. The details of funding pattern are as under:

S. No.	Project name	Cost	Equit	Debt	Present status
		Approximately (In ₹ Crore)			
1	Surendra Nagar-Pipavav GC	373	196	177	Completed.
2	Hassan- Mangalore GC	293	112	181	Completed.
3	Gandhidham-Palanpur GC	550	250	300	Completed.
4	Bharauch-Dahej GC	395	165	230	Completed.
5	Haridaspur-Paradip NL	1602	510	1092	Ongoing
6	Obullavaripalle-Krishnapatnam NL	1203	270	933	Ongoing
7	Angul-Sukinda NL	1337	600	737	Ongoing
8	Kharsia-Dharamjaigarh-Donga Mahua NL	1646	400	1246	Ongoing
9	Palanpur-Samakhyali DL	1267	Fully funded by SPV (Kutch Rail)		Ongoing
10	Gevra Road-Pendra Road NL	838	30	70	Ongoing
11	Digni-Jaigarh Port NL	771	30	70	Ongoing
12	Roha-Dighi Port NL	724	30	70	Ongoing
13	Rowghat-Jagdapur NL	304	30	70	Ongoing

NL-New Line, GC-Gauge Conversion and DL-Doubling.
