

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1626
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.12.2015**

SUB URBAN RAIL SERVICE

1626. SHRI PRATHAP SIMHA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Railways have any proposal to introduce Sub-urban Rail services in Mysore, Bangalore and Chamrajanagar districts by laying new tracks or by using the existing tracks; and**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken in their regard?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) & (b): There is no proposal at present with this Ministry for laying of new tracks or using the existing tracks for Sub-urban Rail services in Mysore and Chamrajanagar districts. State Government of Karnataka has proposed a Sub-urban Rail project in Bangalore area (440 Kms) costing about `8000 crore. Government of Karnataka has been requested to submit Detailed Project Report, considering site constraints and other bottlenecks including land acquisition etc. in taking up the project.
