GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2883 TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.12.2015

ELECTRIFICATION OF JAIPUR-SAWAI-MADHOPUR ROUTE

†2883. SHRI RAM CHARAN BOHRA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government had made announcement with regard to electrification of Jaipur–Sawai Madhopur rail route in the previous year Rail Budget;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has completed survey work in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) whether the Government has set any time limit for completion of the said work and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) & (b): No, Madam. Electrification of Jaipur – Sawai Madhopur rail line was not announced in Railway Budget 2014-15.

(c) & (d): Survey-cum- feasibility study for electrification of Jaipur - Sawai Madhopur section (131 Route Kilometres) has been conducted. Final decision will be taken based on operational and financial considerations as the electrification of railway tracks is decided on the basis of financial viability, traffic volumes and operational flexibility.

(e): Does not arise.

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