

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1056
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.03.2016**

E-TENDERING PORTAL

1056. SHRI HARISH MEENA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

- (a) Whether the Government has launched e-tendering portal in railways to bring transparency in the execution of work contracts and make it cost-effective for the bidders; and**
- (b) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Ministry of Railways have launched e-tendering portal, 'Indian Railways E-procurement System (IREPS)' for works contracts on 1st February, 2016.

Directives have also been issued by the Ministry that with effect from April, 2016 all works tenders are dealt through e-tendering module.
