

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 577  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.04.2016**

**NEGATIVE INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN**

**†577. SHRI AJAY TAMTA:**

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of railway lines for which surveys were made having the negative Internal Rate of Return (IRR) during the last three years, State-wise and year-wise; and**
- (b) the details of the railway lines for which work has been started along with the reasons therefor, railway line-wise and State-wise?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)**

**(a) & (b): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.**

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) AND (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 577 BY SHRI AJAY TAMTA TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 27.04.2016 REGARDING NEGATIVE INTERNAL RATE OF RETURN**

**(a) & (b): As most of the railway lines straddle across one or more States, State-wise data is not maintained. Zone-wise break-up of details of surveys conducted for New Line, Gauge Conversion and Doubling projects with negative Internal Rate of Return (IRR) is given below:-**

S. No.	Zonal Railway	No. of surveys conducted with negative IRR		
		2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
1	Central	1	3	0
2	Eastern	0	0	0
3	East Central	1	1	0
4	East Coast	0	0	2
5	Northern	6	9	13
6	North Central	0	2	2
7	North Eastern	1	1	0
8	Northeast Frontier	4	3	0
9	North Western	1	7	4
10	Southern	7	5	4
11	South Central	1	5	0
12	South Eastern	2	0	1
13	South East Central	0	0	5
14	South Western	0	3	0
15	Western	3	4	2
16	West Central	4	0	0

**Out of the above:-**

**(i) Muzaffar Nagar-Tapri doubling project has been sanctioned in 2015-16 and execution taken up. Budgetary allocation of Rs 125.00 cr has been earmarked in 2016-17.**

**(ii) Following 4 projects have been included in Rail Budget 2016-17 subject to requisite approvals:-**

Rly	Project	Length (in Km)	Cost (in Rs. Cr.)
NR	Rajpura- Mohali New line	24	406
NR	Traffic survey for DL of Delhi-Shahdara-Bagpat-Shamli	87	1500
SR	Nanjangod-Nilambur Road New line	236	6000
SR	Morappur-Dharmapuri New line	36	1340

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