

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 620  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2016**

**RAILWAY UNIVERSITY**

**620. SHRI RAOSAHEB DANVE PATIL :  
SHRI GEORGE BAKER :**

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

- (a) the present status of the railway university proposed to be set up in the country;**
- (b) the details of the funds earmarked for the purpose;**
- (c) the details of the expenditure likely to be incurred thereon along with the resources from where it is proposed to be raised;**
- (d) whether some foreign countries have offered assistance for this purpose;**
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Railways in this regard; and**
- (f) the time-frame fixed, if any, for setting up the university?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)  
OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND  
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)**

- (a) Ministry of Railways have decided to establish one Railway University by upgrading National Academy of Indian Railways at**

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**Vadodara and by incorporating the existing Centralised Training Institutes of Indian Railways as Constituent Schools of Study.**

**(b) A token outlay of ₹ 10 lakhs has been provided in the Railway Budget 2016-17 for this purpose.**

**(c) A capital cost of ₹ 861 crores is envisaged for the University. However, details of expenditure likely to be incurred and resources for the proposed University have not been worked out at this stage.**

**(d) No, Madam.**

**(e) Does not arise.**

**(f) No time frame has been fixed.**

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