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Ministry of Railways

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State/UT wise length (Route Kilometer) of Broad Gauge (BG) railway routes of Indian Railways yet to be electrified are as under:-

SNo.	STATE/UT	TOTAL ROUTE KILOMETER TO BE ELECTRIFIED.
1	Andhra Pradesh	1545
2	Arunachal Pradesh	12
3	Assam	2440
4	Bihar	2091
5	Chattisgarh	265
6	Delhi	39
7	Goa	189
8	Gujarat	3346
9	Haryana	1212
10	Himachal Pradesh	28
11	Jammu & Kashmir	127
12	Jharkhand	925
13	Karnataka	3197
14	Kerala	152
15	Madhya Pradesh	2056
16	Maharashtra	3239
17	Manipur	12
18	Meghalaya	9
19	Mizoram	2
20	Nagaland	11
21	Odisha	883
22	Punjab	1680
23	Puducherry	11
24	Rajasthan	4501
25	Telangana	1029
26	Tamil Nadu	1928
27	Tripura	202
28	Uttar Pradesh	4896
29	Uttarakhand	160
30	West Bengal	1657
	Total	37844

The survey of rail routes to be electrified is an ongoing process. Ministry of Railways has planned to electrify 37844 Route Kilometer of balance Broad Gauge routes of Indian Railways by the year 2021-22.

The budget requirement for electrification of balance 37844 Route Kilometer of Broad Gauge routes of Indian Railways is approximately ` 32591 crore which is based on financial throwforward of ongoing works and abstract cost estimate for new works planned for inclusion in Budget 2018-19.

Total power requirement of Indian Railways post project completion has been assessed to be about 3200 Mega Watts.

Following executing agencies are involved in Railway Electrification works:

(i)	Central Organisation for Railway Electrification (CORE), Allahabad.	Under Ministry of Railways
(ii)	Zonal Railways	Under Ministry of Railways
(iii)	Rail Vikas Nigam Limited (RVNL)	Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) of Ministry of Railways
(iv)	Indian Railway Construction Company (IRCON)	
(v)	Rail India Technical and Economic Services (RITES)	
(vi)	Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (PGCIL)	Public Sector Undertaking (PSU) of Ministry of Power

This Press Release is based on the information given by the Minister of State for Railways Shri Rajen Gohain in a written reply to a question in Rajya Sabha on 05.01.2018 (Friday).

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