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link in the Indian Railways network, connecting the eastern and western parts of the country.

#### Modern Condition of the South East Central Railway (SECR)

In recent years, the SECR has undergone significant modernization to meet the growing demands of passengers and freight customers. Bilaspur Railway Station, the headquarters of SECR, is set to receive a mega makeover worth ₹435 crore. This redevelopment project aims to transform the station into a modern transportation hub capable of handling future demands. The station will feature separate entry and exit routes, expanded waiting areas, and enhanced facilities for passengers.

The modernization plan includes the construction of new foot overbridges, installation of lifts and escalators, and the development of a commercial area within the station premises. Additionally, a solar energy plant and rainwater harvesting system will be installed to promote environmental sustainability. These upgrades are expected to significantly improve the passenger experience and operational efficiency at Bilaspur Railway Station.

The SECR zone has also been focusing on enhancing its freight operations. The addition of a fourth railway line between Bilaspur and Jharsuguda is expected to be operational by 2024, further boosting the zone's capacity to handle heavy freight movements. The zone's commitment to modernization and infrastructure development underscores its importance in the Indian Railways network and its role in driving regional economic growth.

