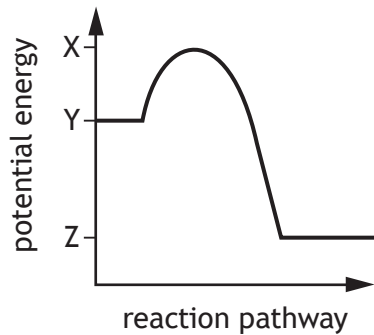


17. A reaction has the potential energy diagram shown.



The enthalpy change for the forward reaction is

- A  $X - Y$
- B  $Y - X$
- C  $Y - Z$
- D  $Z - Y$