

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2479  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2022**

**UPGRADATION OF RANAGHAT RAILWAY STATION**

**2479. SHRI JAGANNATH SARKAR :**

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

- (a) whether the Government has started a new scheme named Major Upgradation of Railway Stations, if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) whether the Government has identified Ranaghat railway station to be eligible for upgradation under the scheme, if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor; and**
- (c) the details of the number of railway stations to be upgraded in West Bengal under the scheme?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND  
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

**(a) to (c) Yes, Sir. A scheme for redevelopment of railway stations namely 'Major Upgradation of Railway Stations' on Indian Railways has been launched. So far, 60 stations have been identified for redevelopment under the scheme. At present Ranaghat Railway Station has not been identified for redevelopment under the said**

**scheme. Asansol and New Jalpaiguri Railway Stations of West Bengal have been identified for Redevelopment under the above scheme.**

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