

the Vayudoot and /or to merge it with Indian Airlines due to continuous losses; and

(b) if so, the decision, if any taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Electrification of Vijayawada-Vishakhapatnam Line

2037. SHRI RAMA KRISHNA KONATHALA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any plans to electrify the Vijayadade-Vishakhapatnam Section in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the length of railway lines electrified in the country and in Andhra Pradesh during the last five years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) and (b). Cost-cum-feasibility study for electrification of Vijayawada-Vishakhapatnam Section has been ordered. Final decision will, however, depend upon the results of the study as well as availability of resources and priorities for electrification of other high traffic density routes.

(c) Route Kms. electrified from April, 1986 to March, 1991 in

i) Indian Railways	3182
ii) Andhra Pradesh	418

Salary to Migrant Teachers from J & K

2038. SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that several schools of Kashmir have denied salary other dues to their migrant teachers in Jammu;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) to (c). The information is being collected from the Government of Jammu and Kashmir and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Stoppage of trains at Raja-Ki-Mandi Station

2039. SHRI BHAGWAN SHANKAR RAWAT: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a demand from passengers and other organisations for stoppage of some passenger trains at Raja-Ki-Mandi station;

(b) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) it has been examined and most of the demands have been met.