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[English]

Train from Guwahati to Rourkela via Ranchi

2979. SHRI GOVINDA CHANDRA MUNDA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to introduce a train from Guwahati to Rourkela via Ranchi in the near future;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
 - (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) No, Sir.

- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) Operational and resource constraints.

Circular Railway Service in Delhi

2980. SHRI VIJAY NAVAL PATIL: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government propose to increase the frequency of the Circular trains in Delhi and to make these services more effective; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and when it is likely to be implemented.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Closure of Bombay Airport

2981. SHRI RAM NAIK: SHRI UDAYSINGRAO GAIKWAD: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVITATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the landing of flights at the Bombay airport was closed for traffic for a number of days in October, 1991;
 - (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to ensure that such disruption of traffic does not re-occur?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) and (b). No, Sir. Bombay airport was closed for aircraft movement on 28.10.1991 only between 1855 hrs. to 2125 hrs. due to accident to an aircraft belonging to M/s. Continental Aviation Private Limited.

(c) In case of such accidents, some discruption of traffic is unavoidable. However, procedures are already laid down for removal of disabled aircraft from the runway and these instructions have been reiterated.

[Translation]

Overbridge at Janakpur Road

2982. SHRI NAWAL KISHORE RAI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to construct a railway overbridge at Janakpur Road station in Sitamarhi district of Bihar in view of the difficulty being faced by the people; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-LIKARJUN): (a) No, Sir.