

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4613
ANSWERED ON:23.08.2001
CANTEENS IN MINISTRY OFFICE
CHANDRAKANT BHAURAO KHAIRE

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of canteens working separately for staff and Officers in the Ministry office with working hours in each case;
- (b) the names of eatables being sold by each canteen either against cash or against refreshment vouchers/requisitions;
- (c) the monthly expenditure in case of refreshment requisitions during 1999-2000 and 2001 upto June;
- (d) whether some mobile canteens are also functioning in the Ministry office;
- (e) if so, the names of eatables being sold by Mobile outlets;
- (f) whether Ministerial canteens provide room service to staff and officers against cash payment;
- g) if so, the details thereof, and
- h) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) to (h): A statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (h) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4613 BY SHRI CHANDRAKANT KHAIRE TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 23-8-2001 REGARDING CANTEENS IN MINISTRY OFFICE .

(a): There are two Canteens operating in Rail Bhavan viz. Railway Board Staff Canteen and Northern Railway Canteen. The Northern Railway Canteen is primarily meeting the requirements of Ministers' Office and other senior Officers. The Railway Board Staff Canteen operates from 0900 hrs. to 1730 hrs. The Northern Railway Canteen operates from 0800 hours till required.

(b): Statements showing eatables being sold by Railway Board Staff Canteen and Northern Railway Canteen are given in Appendix I & II respectively.

(c): Statement showing expenditure incurred during 1999-2000 and upto June 2001 against requisition slips are at Appendix III

(d) & (e): Yes, Sir. Mobile trolley system has been introduced by the Railway Board Staff Canteen on 1st, 4th & 5th floors of Rail Bhavan. Tea along with generally two sweet and two saltish items such as Besan Burfi, Besan Laddoo, Boondi Laddoo, Baloo Shahi, Vada, Samosa, Pakoda and Bhonda are available on these mobile trolleys.

(f) & (g): All items, except non-vegetarian and Lunch items, are supplied in Rooms by Railway Board Staff Canteen against cash payment.

(h): Does not arise.

APPENDIX - I

Referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha USQ No. 4613 to for 23.08.2001

LIST OF EATABLES BEING SOLD BY RAILWAY BOARD STAFF CANTEEN

S. No.	Items
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Sweets

1. Besan Burfi/Boondi Laddoo/Balu Shahi
2. Besan Laddoo/Coconut Laddoo/Jalebi
3. Gulab Jamun
4. Khoya Burfi
5. Kheer

Namkeen

1. Alloo Bhonda/Samosa/Urd Dal Vada/Channa Dal Vada/Matthi/Palak Pakora
2. Kachori/Bread Pakora
3. Vegetable Cutlet

Beverages

1. Tea
2. Espresso Coffee
3. Fresh Coffee
4. Apple Juice

Other Items

1. Veg. Sandwich
2. Veg. Patties
3. Mixture (Packet)
4. Groundnuts (Packet)
5. Packed lunch

Non-Veg. Items

1. Mutton Curry/Mutton Keema
2. Mutton cutlet
3. Omlette/Mutton Nargis

Lunch Items

1. Idli with Sambhar/Puri Bhaji

2. Upma/Dosa/Veg. curry/Dahi Vada
3. Vegetable ordinary
4. Chapati/Dal
5. Channa plate with Kulcha
6. Burger
- 7 Veg. Thali
8. Rice Pullao
9. Channa Plate

APPENDIX II

Referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha USQ No. 4613 for 23.08.2001

LIST OF EATABLES BEING SOLD BY NORTHERN RAILWAY CANTEEN

S. No. Items

1. Tea
2. Coffee
3. Biscuits/Mineral Water/Cheese Roll
4. Chips/Fresh Juice/Cashewnuts
5. Veg. Cutlet/Veg. Sandwich
6. Toasts
- 7 Packed Lunch
8. Fruity
9. Sweets/Samosa
10. Special sweets/French fries
11. Dhokla/Soup

APPENDIX - III

Referred to in reply to part (c) of Lok Sabha USQ No. 4613 to be answered on 23.08.2001

Monthly expenditure in case of refreshment requisitions during 1999-2000 in rupees

Canteen

April May June July August Sept. October Nov. Dec. Jan. Feb. March

Railway 123866 113293 130715 147883 158496 153504 162473 165075 183204 156442 169972 174193
Board
Staff
Canteen

Northern 191356 166054 201211 204056 124584 119536 144474 114348 146078 149172 179917 189297
Railway
Canteen

TOTAL 315222 279347 331926 351939 283080 273040 306947 279423 329282 305614 349889 363490

Monthly expenditure in case of refreshment requisitions 2001 upto June in rupees

Name of Canteen April May June

Railway Board Staff Canteen 166488 192030 183604
Northern Railway Canteen 179678 222103 163933

TOTAL 346166 414133 347537