

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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MINI CINEMA THEATRES IN EXPRESS TRAINS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have decided to set up mini cinema theatres in express trains;
- (b) if so, the name of the trains in which it is likely to be introduced;
- (c) the total income expected to be generated from this;
- (d) whether this will be at the cost of one passenger coach to the train or an additional coach; and
- (e) the details in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) to (e): A proposal for manufacturing a mini AC Cinema Theatre Car has been received and is under consideration, and the techno-commercial feasibility of providing such services is under examination. Any assessment of details such as costs, income, trains etc can be crystallized only after the proposal is scrutinized in detail.