

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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EXTRA BOGIES FOR ARMY JAWANS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government are aware that the army jawans are facing many hardships for their railway journey due to shortage of coaches and heavy rush in trains;
- (b) if so, whether the Government propose to provide extra bogies for the army at Jammu railway station; (
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

- (a) Some difficulties are faced by the passengers including Army Jawans during vacations and peak rush of traffic.
- (b) to (d) Special trains are run and loads of trains augmented subject to operational feasibility, availability of resources and traffic justification