

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:301
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NEW RAILWAY HOSPITAL IN MAHARASHTRA
Narhire Smt. Kalpana Ramesh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government propose to open a new Railway Hospital in Osmanabad district of Maharashtra; and
- (b) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R.VELU)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) In this district there are only 6 Railway Stations with a total of 48 Railway employees. Opening a new railway hospital cannot be justified for such small number of Railway employees. The nearest Railway Hospital is at Kurduwadi from there medical aids are provided to these Railway employees.