

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5918
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EXTENSION OF NIZAMUDDIN-HUBLI EXPRESS UPTO HOSPET
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is persistent demand from the people of North Karnataka for extending Nizamuddin-Hubli Express upto Hospet;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the reaction of the Railways thereto?

Answer

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

- (a) to (c): Yes, Sir. Extension of Nizamuddin-Hubli Express upto Hospet is not feasible, at present, due to operational constraints.