

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:534  
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WOMEN EMPLOYEES IN RAILWAY SERVICES  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Railways propose to enhance the participation of women employees in Railway Services;
- (b) if so, whether any action plan has been prepared for the same;
- (c) if so, the details of the number of women employees presently working with the Railway Services, as on date; and
- (d) the estimated number of women employees according to the action plan?

**Answer**

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

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) A total of 75091 (seventy five thousand ninety one) women employees were working on the Railways as per the latest available figures i.e. as on 31.3.2006.
- (d) Does not arise.