

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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PROPOSAL TO ATTRACT FOREIGN INVESTMENTS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways have received any proposal from the Planning Commission to segregate rail route arrangements from railway operations to attract more foreign investments in Railways to permit and facilitate the entry of foreign companies in container business; and

(b) if so, the response of the Railways thereto?

Answer

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

(a) : No specific proposal in this regard has been received from Planning Commission.

(b): Does not arise.