

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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STOPPAGE OF ALUAVARI RAILWAY STATION
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of trains which run from Guwahati to South Indian States passes through Uttar Dinajpur District (West Bengal);
- (b) whether there is no stoppage of any of these trains at Aluavari, West Bengal;
- (c) if so, whether the Railways are thinking to give a new stoppage at Aluavari (Islampur);
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) & (b) Yes, Madam. The following south bound trains passing through Aluabari Road station (in Uttar Dinajpur District of West Bengal), do not have a scheduled stoppage thereat:

1. 5629/5630 Chennai Egmore - Guwahati Express
2. 5929/5930 Chennai Egmore - Dibrugarh Town Express
3. 5901/5902 Yesvantpur - Dibrugarh Express
4. 2507/2508 Ernakulam - Guwahati Express
5. 2509/2510 Bangalore - Guwahati Express
6. 2513/2514 Secunderabad - Guwahati Express
7. 2515/2516 Thiruvanthapuram - Guwahati Express

(c) to (e) No, Madam. At present, eight pairs of Mail/Express trains and two pairs of Passenger trains stop at Aluabari Road. All the South bound trains listed above have a scheduled stoppage at Kishanganj, 30 kms away. Stoppage of south bound trains at Aluabari Road station is not feasible at present.