

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6783  
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DURONTO TRAINS  
Panda Shri Baijayant

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether in the last rail budget a Delhi-Bhubaneswar Duronto train and Puri-Rameshwaram Express was proposed to be introduced;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which these trains are likely to become operational?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c): Yes, Madam. 2281/2282 Delhi-Bhubaneswar Duronto train (weekly) announced in Railway Budget 2009-10 has been introduced w.e.f 31.03.2010. However, Puri-Rameshwaram Express was not proposed to be introduced in Railway Budget 2009-10.