

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:819
ANSWERED ON:29.07.2010
E-TICKETS
Sugavanam Shri E.G.

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the list of documents which are accepted by the Railways as proof of identity for travelling via e-tickets;
- (b) whether the Railways have any proposal to accept Students I- Cards and other documents as proof of identity;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the time by which the above proposal is likely to be implemented?

Answer

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

(a): As on date, the following seven Identity Proofs are accepted as authority for undertaking journey on e-tickets:-

- 1) Voter Photo Identity Card issued by Election Commission
- 2) Passport
- 3) PAN Card Issued by Income Tax Department
- 4) Driving License issued by RTO
- 5) Photo Identity Card issued by Central/State Government
- 6) Student Identity Card with photograph issued by recognized School/College for their students
- 7) Nationalised Bank Passbook with photograph

(b) to (d): Yes, Madam. Student Identity Card with photograph issued by recognized School/College for their students has already been permitted as a valid proof for undertaking journey on e-tickets.