

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:916

ANSWERED ON:29.07.2010

TICKETLESS TRAVELLING

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways have conducted surprise raids to catch ticketless passengers and taken action against them;

(b) if so, the zone-wise number of surprise raids conducted from October 2009 till date and the zone-wise number of people caught in these surprise raids; and

(c) the zone-wise amount recovered as fine from such ticketless passengers during the above raids and the number of people sent to jail for not paying the fine?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b) & (c): A statement is attached.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (b) & (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 916 BY SHRI YASHBANT N.S. LAGURI & DR. MAHENDRASINH P. CHAUHAN TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 29-07-2010 REGARDING TICKETLESS TRAVELLING.

(b) & (c): The zone-wise number of checks/raids conducted, number of persons travelling without ticket/with improper ticket, amount recovered from them and number of persons sent to jail for not paying fine from October 2009 to June, 2010 are as under:

Railway Number of Checks/ Number of persons Amount recovered as Number of persons
Raids conducted travelling without fine from ticketless/ sent to jail for
(in lakhs) ticket/with improper irregular passengers not paying fine
tickets. (in lakhs) (Rs. in lakhs)

Central	2.79	9.18	4045	1670
Eastern	0.16	3.66	1060	2917
East Central	0.04	3.72	1281	2441
East Coast	0.11	1.33	506	232
Northern	0.84	12.79	5106	1056
North Central	0.57	5.86	2498	2480
North Eastern	0.20	3.49	1386	1672
Northeast Frontier	0.21	1.70	798	13
North Western	0.22	2.76	967	131
Southern	1.54	4.01	1612	103
South Central	4.74	6.99	2796	56
South Eastern	0.34	2.10	748	257

South East	0.02	1.48	535	15
Central				
South Western	0.03	1.65	645	6
Western	0.86	7.98	3192	313
West Central	0.49	2.78	1141	551
Total	13.15	71.48	28316	13910