GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1961 ANSWERED ON:05.08.2010 BIDAR RAILWAY STATION Singh Shri N.Dharam

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a Bangalore-Bidar train service and upgrading Bidar railway station as a model station has been announced in Rail Budget 2010-11;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Railways in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) As announced in the Railway Budget 2010-11, 6593/6594 Nanded-Bangalore Express after getting delinked from 6591/6592 Hubli-Bangalore Hampi Express w.e.f. 22-07-2010, is providing a daily service between Bangalore and Bidar.

No announcement was made regarding selection of station as model station in the Railway Budget 2010-11. However, Bidar railway station was selected for development as Adarsh Station as per the announcement made in the Railway Budget 2009-10 and has already been developed as Adarsh Station.