GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4208 ANSWERED ON:19.08.2010 RAILWAYS BRIDGE OVER TAPTI RIVER Naranbhai Shri Kachhadia

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether due to limited capacity of railway bridges over Tapti in Surat, the incoming trains from East, West and South are required to halt at the outer and get delayed; and

(b) if so, the steps being taken to solve this problem?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) The railway bridge over Tapti river between Surat and Utran provides for double line working and no trains are required to halt or are getting delayed on these bridges in the normal course. The movement of trains on these bridges is from North and South directions and there is no movement from East and West side.