

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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LOCAL TRAINS IN MAHARASHTRA
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways propose to start new local shuttle trains between adjacent cities in Maharashtra like Pune-Nasik, Sangli-Kolhapur, Solapur-Pune etc.; and

(b) if so, the action taken/proposed to be taken in this regard ?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) At present, there is no proposal to introduce local trains between Pune-Nasik Road, Sangli- Shri Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj (T) (Kolhapur), Solapur-Pune etc. However, extension of 1629 Sangli- Miraj Passenger, 1610 Pune-Miraj Passenger upto Shri Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj (T) (Kolhapur) and 1551/1552 Pune-Daund Passenger upto Baramati have been announced in Railway Budget 2010-2011.