GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:611 ANSWERED ON:11.11.2010 TRAIN FACILITIES FOR CHAR DHAM YATRA Bhadana Shri Avtar Singh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether train facility to the millions of pilgrims on Char Dham Yatra in Uttarakhand is limited upto Dehradun to Haridwar only;
- (b) whether the Railways are contemplating to give one minute halt to all trains running between Haridwar-Rishikesh and Dehradun at Raiwala Station; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof, and which time by when this facility likely to be provided at Raiwala Station?

Answer

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

- (a): No, Madam.
- (b): No, Madam. 6 pairs of Express trains and 6 pairs of passenger trains stop at Raiwala station, which are considered adequate at present.
- (c): There is no such proposal, at present.