GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:680 ANSWERED ON:11.11.2010 INTEGRATED SECURITY SYSTEM Rama Devi Smt.;Singh Rajkumari Ratna

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the new Integrated Security System has become operational in the Railways;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the total amount spent on the said system so far; and
- (d) the impact and effectiveness of the new system?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) Detailed guidelines and specifications have been circulated to Zonal Railways for implementation of the Integrated Security System at 202 stations of the country. Tenders issued by the Zonal Railways are at different stages of finalization. It is likely to become operational in near future.
- (c) As the installation has not yet been completed in any zone so far, no amount has been spent on the said system. However a sum of rupees 58 crore has been made available in the Budget 2010-11 and the balance amount required in this financial year will be made available through re-appropriation.
- (d) It provides for multi-layered screening and surveillance of passengers and baggage at station right from point of entry till boarding of train and exit from the station.