

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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TRAIN FACILITIES TO SAURASHTRA REGION
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Saurashtra Region of Gujarat has poor train connectivity;
- (b) if so, whether various organizations/sections of people have been making representations to the Railway for providing adequate train facilities in the Saurashtra Region; and
- (c) if so, the steps taken/being taken by the Railways for improving the train facilities in Saurashtra Region of Gujarat ?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) The trains are not introduced state-wise and no state/region-wise data of trains is maintained.

Representations from various Organizations/Associations/ Unions etc. are received at various levels of Railway Administration ranging from station to the Ministry of Railways. These are examined and action as found feasible and justified is taken based on competing demands, operational feasibility, availability of resources etc.