

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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STOPPAGE FOR RAJDHANI TRAINS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways have received any representations for allotting stoppage for Rajdhani trains at Alappuzha railway station in Southern Railway; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b): Rajdhani Express trains are long distance fast moving trains primarily meant for passengers between India's capital and state capitals. Proliferation of stoppages will decelerate the train and delay its arrival at destination.