GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways are aware that the Freedom Fighters who have been issued complimentary Railway Pass, have not been provided facility to book their tickets online;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the remedial action taken in this regard?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b) & (c): Issue of reserved tickets on complimentary Railway Pass requires physical verification of documents at the tickets counters. Extension of the on line booking facility on such passes is not feasible.