GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1287 ANSWERED ON:03.03.2011 EXPORT OF COACHES Ganeshamurthi Shri A.;Tagore Shri Manicka

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the coaches produced in Integral Coach Factory, Chennai are exported to other countries including Sri Lanka;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of coaches exported so far; and
- (d) the details of the terms and conditions for such exports?

Answer

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

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b)to(d) Export orders for coaches are received by Integral Coach Factory (ICF), Chennai through either M/s RITES Limited or M/s IRCON International Limited. ICF has exported 499 coaches since 1971-72 till now.

At present ICF has an on going order for export of 90 Diesel – Electric Multiple Unit type coaches to Sri Lanka. This contract is being operated through M/s. RITES Ltd.