

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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STAY HOMES IN KERALA
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways are aware that atrocity against women and children are increasing both while travelling in trains as well as at railway stations ;
- (b) if so, whether the Railways propose to construct short stay homes exclusively for women and children at railway stations in the country especially in Kerala in association with local bodies etc; and
- (c) if so, the details of the stations identified including Kozhikode and time frame for implementing the said project?

Answer

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

- (a): No, Madam. The incidents of atrocities against women and children have registered a decrease during the current year.
- (b) and (c): There is no such proposal at present.