

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3500
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TOUR PACKAGES FOR SENIOR CITIZENS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the IRCTC has changed rules for its tour packages for senior citizens;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor;
- (c) the total earning by the IRCTC Railways through such packages during the last three years and the current year, year-wise; and
- (d) the implications of such changes in rules on the earnings of IRCTC/Railways?

Answer

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

(a): No, Madam.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): The earnings of Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation from tour packages for the last 4 years are:

Year	Earnings (in Crore Rupees)
2008-09	10.00
2009-10	11.53
2010-11	14.63
2011-12	8.14
(till Oct, 2011)	

(d): Does not arise.