

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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AMENITIES AT AHMEDNAGAR STATION
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways are aware that waiting hall, toilet, drinking water, canteen facilities etc. are not available at Ahmednagar Station;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps being taken by the Railways in this regard;
- (c) whether the Railways are also aware of the demands for extension of sheds on both the platforms and for stoppage of all trains at this station; and
- (d) if so, the time by which these demands are likely to be fulfilled by the Railways?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): All essential amenities including waiting hall, toilet, drinking water, as per norms, have been provided at Ahmednagar station. As regard to catering facilities, 1 (one) Tea coffee vegetarian food stall with 4 trolleys, 1 (one) tea coffee sweetmeat and fruit stall with 4 trolleys and 2 (two) Milk stalls are available at Ahmednagar railway station which caters to the needs of the passengers.
- (c) & (d): Augmentation/improvement of facilities at station is a continuous process. Demand for provision of stoppage of 11037/11038 Pune-Gorakhpur Express (Weekly) etc., at Ahmednagar has been received. The same has been examined but it has not been found feasible at present.