

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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GOODS AND SERVICES TAX
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways propose to bring rail travel under Goods and Services Tax (GST); and
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a) No, Madam. Railways have not made any proposal to bring rail travel under Goods and Services Tax (GST). Such decision would lie within the purview of Ministry of Finance.
- (b) Does not arise.