GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:30 ANSWERED ON:09.08.2012 INTRODUCTION OF NEW TRAINS Patil Shri A.T. Nana

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number and names of new trains announced during the last three years;
- (b) whether all such trains have started running;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) the details of trains which have not started operating; and
- (e) the time by which all the said trains are likely to become operational?

Answer

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MUKUL ROY)

(a) to (e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. 30 BY SHRI A. T. NANA PATIL TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 09.08.2012 REGARDING INTRODUCTION OF NEW TRAINS.

- (a): The details of number and names of new trains announced during the last three years i.e. 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12 are appended at A, B & C respectively.
- (b): No, Madam.
- (c): Some trains announced in the last two Railway Budgets i.e. 2010-11 and 2011-12 are pending for introduction due to various constraints like pending gauge conversion works, non-receipt of necessary clearance from the Commissioner of Railway Safety (new gauge converted sections, new lines), etc.
- (d): At present, details of 17 trains which have not been introduced till date is appended at D.
- (e): The said trains will be introduced as soon as the constraints as appended at D are over.