

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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ONLINE FACILITY FOR VIP QUOTA
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether, the Railways propose to make password protected online arrangements to confirm tickets to Members of the Parliament from VIP/HOR quota;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be done; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor and the steps taken/being taken to prevent the misuse of emergency quota for rail reservation?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI ADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY)

(a): No, Madam.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): With a view to ensuring allotment of Emergency Quota as per inter-se seniority in Warrant of Precedence, there is already a well established practice of allotment of Emergency Quota for self travel of High Official Requisition (HOR) holders/Members of Parliament and others. For keeping a check on the misuse of Emergency Quota, checks are conducted by Commercial Directorate from time to time, and also sometimes in association with Vigilance Directorate.