## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4364 ANSWERED ON:20.02.2014 INTEGRATED SECURITY SYSTEM Singh Shri Pashupati Nath

## Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways have set up any Integrated Security System;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the total amount spent for the purpose;
- (d) whether no special tests are being carried out under the said system; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Railways thereto?

## **Answer**

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

- (a) to (c) Yes, Madam. Based on the report of a High Level Committee and in consultation with zonal railways, an Integrated Security System (ISS) has been approved to strengthen surveillance mechanism over sensitive stations of the zonal railways. ISS comprises of following four broad areas-
- # Internet protocol based Close Circuit Television (CCTV)
- # Access control
- # Personal and Baggage Screening System
- # Bomb Detection and Disposal System

The work of ISS has been sanctioned under works programme of the railways at an approved cost of Rs.353 crore. Contracts have already been awarded by 12 zonal railways for execution of the work of ISS over 93 stations. Rs.90.30 Crore have so far been incurred by zonal railways for execution of the ISS works.

- (d) No, Madam.
- (e) Does not arise.