

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4316  
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TRAINS FOR PUNJAB  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Railways are considering for extension of Punjab mail (Ferozepore-Mumbai) to terminate at Fazilka via Guruharsahai and Jalalabad covering the important towns of Punjab and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Railways have received any representation to change Terminal Station of Amritsar Express 10057/10058 to Mumbai Chhatrapati Shivaji Terminal (CST) from Lokmanaya Tilak Terminus (LTT) in place of 12141-12142 Rajendra Nagar Express; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the change is likely to be come into affect?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

- (a) & (b): No, Madam. Extension of 12137/12138 Mumbai CST-Firozpur Cantt Punjab Mail upto Fazilka via Guruharsahai and Jalalabad is not feasible, at present, due to operational and resource constraints including lack of terminal facilities at Fazilka.
- (c) & (d): Representations including from Hon'ble Members of Parliament, inter-alia, for change in terminal station of 11057/11058 Lokmanya Tilak (T)-Amritsar Express from Lokmanya Tilak (T) to Mumbai (CST) have been received and accordingly the terminal of 11057/11058 Lokmanya Tilak (T)-Amritsar Express is being changed from Lokmanya Tilak (T) to Mumbai (CST) w.e.f. 01.06.2015 by changing the terminal of 12141/12142 Mumbai (CST)-Rajendra Nagar (T) Express from Mumbai (CST) to Lokmanya Tilak (T).