

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4361  
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RETIREMENT AGE IN RAILWAYS  
Datta Shri Sankar Prasad

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that commission vendors of Northern Railway have been served with retirement orders on attaining the age of sixty years and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the commission vendors would be provided with social securities; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

- (a): Yes, Madam. All commission vendors are retired at the age of 60 years as per extant policy.
- (b) and (c): There is no provision of social securities since the commission vendors work on commission basis.