GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3143 ANSWERED ON:31.07.2014 BOMB THREAT IN TRAINS Chavan Shri Harishchandra Deoram

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government Railway Police (GRP) have recovered eight bombs in the general bogey of a passenger train stationed at Kishanganj railway station in Bihar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any inquiry has been initiated to investigate the incident; and
- (d) if so, the outcome thereof?

Answer

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

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b): On 29.06.2014 at about 22.36 hrs, acting on a source information, Local Police and Government Railway Police (GRP) assisted by Railway Protection Force (RPF) recovered 08 numbers of small country made crude bombs from coach no. NFR-82424 attached to Train No.55711 UP (Malda New Jalpaiguri Passenger) at Kishanganj Railway Station in Bihar. The bombs were kept submerged in water at GRPS/Kishanganj. Bomb Disposal Squad of Bihar Police arrived at GRP/Kishanganj on 30.06.2014 at about 17.30 hrs and disposed of the bombs on 01.07.2014 at 07.30 hrs.
- (c) and (d): In connection with the incident, a preliminary enquiry was conducted by GRP/Kishanganj and subsequently a case vide Crime No.13/14 dated 13.07.2014 under section 3/4 Explosive Substance Act was registered and taken up for investigation.