

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3128
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FREIGHT TRAFFIC
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of freight loading alongwith the total revenues earned therefrom by the Railways during the last three years and the current year, year and commodity-wise ;
- (b) the contribution of coal freight in the said earnings in percentage terms during the said period, year-wise;
- (c) whether the Railways have been suffering loss in freight earnings due to decline in coal supply in the country;
- (d) if so, the details of loss in freight earnings as a result thereof during the said period, year-wise; and
- (e) whether the Railways have approached the Union Government in this regard and if so, the details thereof and if not, the steps taken/being taken by the Railways to make good of such loss?

Answer

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

(a) to (e) : A Statement is laid on the Table of the House .