

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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PASSENGER AMENITIES
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there are lack of passenger amenities at Mulund and Bhandup Stations in Mumbai;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the plan proposed for providing all passenger amenities including raising the height of platform, escalator, FoB at these stations?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Passenger amenities as per the norms of Minimum Essential Amenities are available at Mulund and Bhandup stations. Two Foot Over Bridges (FOBs) at Mulund station and three FOBs at Bhandup station are available. At present, there is no plan for providing escalator and additional FOB at these stations.

The height of platforms at Bhandup has been raised. The height of three platforms at Mulund is within the prescribed range and the height of remaining fourth platform is planned to be raised by May 2016.