

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2332  
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SWARANJAYANTI EXPRESS  
Maganti Shri Murali Mohan

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

- (a) whether the Visakhapatnam–Hazrat Nizamuddin Swaranjayanti Express which runs twice a week has a heavy rush;
- (b) if so, whether there has been a demand from the public particularly from coastal districts viz. Visakhapatnam (East-Godavari, West Godavari) to run this train on daily basis and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the Railways are considering to run this train on daily basis and if so, the time by which the train is likely to be operated on daily basis?

**Answer**

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

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b) & (c): A large number of demands are received at various levels of Railway administration viz. Railway stations, Divisions, Zonal Railway headquarters and Board's level, from various quarters for increase in frequency of 12803/12804 Nizamuddin-Vishakapatnam Swarna Jayanti Express from bi-weekly to daily service. As such, Indian Railways do not maintain compendium of such representations. However, owing to operational and resource constraints, increase in frequency of 12803/12804 Nizamuddin-Vishakapatnam Swarna Jayanti Express from bi-weekly to daily service is not feasible at present.