

**Title:** Requested the Railway Minister and the Government to take immediate measures to run trains up to Calicut in Kerala.

SHRI T. GOVINDAN (KASARGOD): Thank you, Sir, for the opportunity given to me. I would like to raise a matter regarding the need to extend the trains up to Calicut in Kerala. After the tragic railway accident recently in Kerala, the train services are affected and no train via Mangalore through Konkan route is running after the accident. It has been reported in the Press that train services will be started in the last week of September only. The passengers are put to various difficulties as a result of this kind of delay. Goods movement is also affected adversely.

In these circumstances, I would request the hon. Railway Minister and the Government to take immediate measures to run trains up to Calicut in Kerala.