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Title: Need to provide stoppage for Chennai Egmore-Guruvayur-Chennai Egmore Express and Chennai Egmore-Trivandrum Ananthapuri Express trains at Ulundurpet railway station.

SHRI M. ANANDAN (VILUPPURAM): Ulundurpet is an important place in Villupuram District (Tamil Nadu) with around 4 lakh population. Most of them are business people commuting to various places. This is an hub of the district which connects Southern districts viz. Trichirapalli and Madurai in one direction and Salem as well as Coimbatore in western direction. It is on the main trunk route of Tirunelveli-Chennai line. This place is also connecting Tirupathi and Bangalore. There is heavy road traffic at this hub connecting places in different directions.

Ulundurpet railway station is situated on the main Chennai Egmore-Tirunelveli main route. However, no mail express/superfast train stops at this station.

There are a number of mail, express and superfast trains which pass through this station. As there is no stoppage for express trains at Ulundurpet, people are facing great difficulties to visit various other places such as Tiruchirapalli, Madurai, Tirunelveli or Chennai.

Hence, I request the Hon'ble Minister to order for the stoppage of atleast two trains i.e. Chennai Egmore-Guruvayur-Chennai Egmore Express trains (Train Nos. 16127/16128) and Chennai Egmore-Trivandrum Ananthapuri Express trains at Ulundurpet railway station.