GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2229 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.03.2020

RETIRING ROOMS AT STATIONS

2229. SHRI SAUMITRA KHAN:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Ministry of Railways has handed over retiring rooms in Railway Stations to IRCTC;
- (b) if so, whether IRCTC has expanded the facilities provided in retiring rooms of railway stations; and
- (c) if so, the list of rooms/dormitories available in various railway stations in India?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2229 BY SHRI SAUMITRA KHAN TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 04.03.2020 REGARDING RETIRING ROOMS AT STATIONS

- (a): Zonal Railways have been advised to select stations for handing over of retiring room/dormitory to IRCTC and also to ensure that there is no overlap with stations which have already been proposed for redevelopment through Indian Railway Station Development Corporation (IRSDC).
- (b): Retiring Room/Dormitories handed over to IRCTC are renovated/developed through PPP mode and various upgraded amenities/facilities like well furnished, well lit and 24 hrs operational AC rooms/dormitories, availability of quality mattresses & linen, appropriate Almirah/Locker, trained & professional attendants, LED TV, availability of Geysers, Showers in bathrooms, Room Heaters, Wheelchair for Senior Citizens/Divyangjan, potable drinking water, Internet or Wi-fi facilities etc. are to be provided in the retiring room as per requirement.
- (c): The Zone-wise details of railway stations with retiring rooms/dormitories facility are as under:

Zonal Railways	No. of stations with retiring	room/dormitory	Zonal Railways	No. of stations	with retiring	room/dormitory
Central Railway	39	9	North Western Railway		29	
Eastern Railway	29	9	Southern Railway		64	
East Central Railway	39	9	South Central Railway		54	
East Coast Railway	2	7	South Eastern Railway		20	
Northern Railway	6:	2	South East Central Railway		15	
North Central Railway	3	0	South Western Railway		19	
North Eastern Railway	3	В	Western Railway		37	
Northeast Frontier Railway	5	0	West Central Railway		22	
