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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2846**  
**ANSWERED ON 24.03.2023**

**REVENUE OF RAILWAYS**

2846 # SHRI JUGALSINH LOKHANDWALA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the increase in the revenue of the Railways in comparison to 2014;
- (b) the revenue generated from the passenger fares and freight charges during the past five years;  
and
- (c) the quantum of foreign and Indian private sector investment received in Railways in the past five years and the present status as compared to 2014?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND  
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

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

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2846 BY SHRI JUGALSI NH LOKHANDWALA ANSWERED IN RAJYA SABHA ON 24.03.2023 REGARDING REVENUE OF RAILWAYS**

(a) The increase in the revenue of the Indian Railways in comparison to 2014 is as under:

(₹ in crore)

Year	Total Revenue	Increase in Revenue in comparison to 2014
2013-14	1,43,213.88	-
2021-22	1,91,367.01	48,153.13
2022-23 (upto Feb-23)	2,14,626.91	71,413.03

(b) The revenue generated from the passenger fares and freight charges of Indian Railways during the last five years and current financial year is as under:

(₹ in crore)

Year	Passenger Revenue	Freight Revenue
2017-18	48,643.14	1,17,055.40
2018-19	51,066.65	1,27,432.72
2019-20	50,669.09	1,13,487.89
2020-21	15,248.49	1,17,231.82
2021-22	39,214.39	1,41,096.39
2022-23 (upto Feb-23)	57,538.56	1,46,296.03

(c) The investment by Private Entities in Indian Railways during the last five years and current year is as under:

(₹ in crore/approximately)

Year	Amount
2013-14	Not maintained prior to 2015-16
2017-18	13269
2018-19	13629
2019-20	750
2020-21	667
2021-22	1352
2022-23 (upto Feb-23)	1906

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