

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA
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VANDE BHARAT TRAINS IN TELANGANA

2867 DR. K. LAXMAN:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Vande Bharat Express trains started till now;
- (b) the number of proposed Vande Bharat Express trains and the number of trains expected to start to and from the State of Telangana; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c) As on 20th March, 2023, 10 pairs of Vande Bharat train services are operational on the Indian Railways' network which includes 20833/34 Secunderabad-Visakhapatnam Vande Bharat Express, which serves the stations located in the State of Telangana. While introduction of Vande Bharat services is an ongoing process on Indian Railways (IR) subject to operational feasibility, traffic justification, availability of rolling stock etc., train services are not introduced on State-wise basis, as Railway network straddle across State boundaries.
