GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 606 ANSWERED ON 07.02.2025

TRAIN SERVICE BETWEEN NAGPUR AND SAMBHAJINAGAR

606 DR. FAUZIA KHAN:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether Government is aware of the long-standing demand for a direct train service between Nagpur and Sambhajinagar;
- (b) if so, the reasons for the absence of a direct train service between these two cities despite high passenger demand;
- (c) whether the Ministry has conducted any feasibility study or received proposals regarding introducing a direct train on this route; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, whether Government plans to initiate one at the earliest?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) Presently, Nagpur is connected to Manmad by 19 pairs of train services, while Manmad is connected to Aurangabad by 20 pairs of train services which may be availed of by the passengers for their to/from journey. Further, introduction of new trains is an ongoing process on Indian Railways subject to traffic justification, operational feasibility, availability of resources, etc.
