

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA
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REVENUE GENERATED BY INDIAN RAILWAYS

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the total revenue generated by Indian Railways during 2024-2025;
- (b) the revenue generated by Indian Railways from ticket fares during 2024-25;
- (c) whether the Ministry is planning to reinstate the concessions given to senior citizens and women passengers in the coming year;
- (d) if so, the tentative date by which the Ministry is planning to reinstate the concessions; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (e): The total revenue of Indian Railways and revenue from passenger for FY 2023-24 and 2024-25 is given below:

	(₹ In crore)	
	2023-24	2024-25
Total revenue	2,56,094	2,65,678
Passenger revenue	70,693	75,368

Indian Railways strives to provide affordable services to all strata of the society and gave subsidy of ₹60,466 crore on passenger tickets in 2023-24. This amounts to concession of 45% on an average, to every person, travelling on Railways. In other words, if the cost of providing service is ₹100, then the price of ticket is ₹55 only. This subsidy is continuing for all passengers. Further, concessions beyond this subsidy amount are continuing for many categories like 4 categories of Persons with disabilities (Divyangjans), 11 categories of patients and 8 categories of students.
