

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1210
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.11.2016**

STOPPAGE OF TRAINS

†1210. SHRI RAMESH BIDHURI:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Utkal Express (18477) is stopped at Tuglakabad railway station for shift change of operating staff;**
- (b) if so, the duration of this stoppage;**
- (c) whether the Government proposes to give two-three minutes for stoppage of the train;**
- (d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be given; and**
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) & (b) No stoppage has been provided to 18477 Puri-Haridwar Utkal Express at Tuglakabad station for shift change of operating staff.

(c) to (e) No, Madam. At present, there is no such proposal. Tuglakabad station is being served by 55 train services which are considered adequate for the present level of traffic. Stoppage of 18477 Puri-Haridwar Utkal Express at this station is not feasible, at present, due to operational constraints.
