GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4581 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.03.2017

TRAIN 18

4581. SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways has recently launched a 'Train-2018' project to domestically manufacture train sets that can run at faster speeds; and
- (b) if so, the full details of the project?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) & (b) Two Train sets have been included in Production Programme for 2017-18 for Integral Coach Factory (ICF), Chennai. The Train sets will be Semi High Speed Electric Multiple Unit Train sets with quicker acceleration and contemporary passenger amenities like on-board infotainment and passenger information system, automatic doors with retractable coach footsteps and zero discharge vacuum based bio-toilets etc.
