

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5159**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.04.2017

**ATOMIC REACTORS FOR RAILWAYS**

5159. SHRI DUSHYANT CHAUTALA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up atomic energy reactors for the Railways;
- (b) if so, the details thereof ; and
- (c) whether the Railways has entered into any agreement with the Department of Atomic Energy with regard to the aforementioned purpose and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (Dr. JITENDRA SINGH):

(a)&(b) Only exploratory discussions have been held between Nuclear Power Corporation of India Limited (NPCIL) and Indian Railways for forming a Joint Venture for setting up nuclear power projects in the country.

(c) No, Sir.

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