

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2970
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.08.2017**

NEW TRAIN FROM UDAIPUR TO KANYA KUMARI

†2970. SHRI ARJUN LAL MEENA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce a new train from Udaipur City Railway Station to Kanyakumari via Bengaluru and Kota;**
- (b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be started; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) to (c) No, Madam. Introduction of a new train service between Udaipur City and Kanniyakumari is not feasible at present, due to operational and resource constraints including line capacity constraints on several sections enroute and terminal constraints at Kanniyakumari.

However, introduction of new trains is an ongoing process in Indian Railways subject to traffic justification, operational feasibility, commercial validity, availability of resources, etc.
