GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1403 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.12.2017

INCREASE IN SPEED OF TRAINS ON MYSURU LINE

1403. SHRI R. DHRUVA NARAYANA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there has been any progress regarding the speed raising of trains on the Chennai-Bengaluru-Mysuru line;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) to (c): At present there is no proposal of speed raising of trains on Chennai-Bengaluru-Mysuru line. ERYUAN group of China is carrying out feasibility study of Chennai-Bengaluru-Mysuru corridor for raising the speed of passenger trains to 160 kmph. After submission of the final report detailed deliberations shall be held with all the stakeholders for upgrading the speed of passenger trains on this corridor.