### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2557 TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.01.2018

#### **RAILWAY UNIVERSITY**

#### 2557. SHRI A. ANWHAR RAAJHAA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to set up a first of its kind railway university in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the purpose and objectives of setting up of this university;
- (d) whether the place/city has been identified and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which the proposed university would be functional?

#### **ANSWER**

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

- (a)&(b): Yes, Madam. It has been decided to open the first ever National Rail and Transport Institute at Vadodara.
- (c): To create a pool of talent for the Railways and transport Sector and to impart training to Railway Personnel.

- (d): The Institute shall be established at the National Academy of Indian Railways in Vadodara.
- (e): The date for setting up the Railway University at Vadodara is being worked out.

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