

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2675
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.01.2018**

CONCESSION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

2675. SHRI BALABHADRA MAJHI:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Government is providing special concession in Railways to senior citizens; and**
- (b) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Men senior citizens of minimum 60 years of age and women senior citizens of minimum 58 years of age are eligible for concession in passenger fare. The element of concession is 50% for women senior citizens and 40% for men senior citizens. Concession is admissible only to Indian senior citizens. Concession is granted in all classes and only in the basic fares of Mail/Express and Rajdhani/Shatabdi/Duronto trains. Other supplementary charges like reservation charge, superfast surcharge, Goods and, service tax, if applicable, are levied in full.
