

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.907  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.12.2017**

**CUBICLES FOR FEEDING BABIES**

**907. SHRIMATI ANJU BALA:  
SHRI B. SRIRAMULU:  
SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:**

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Railways in a first-of-its-kind initiative, made provision for cubicles to feed babies at Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus and Matheran on the Central Railway and Bandra on the Western Railway and if so, details thereof; and**
- (b) whether the Railways has signed some agreement with PSUs/Corporate Sector to fund the above facilities at railway stations and if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)**

**(a): Instructions already exist with Zonal Railways to provide a segregated area within the waiting hall at important stations for feeding the babies by lactating mothers. This facility has already been provided at 33 stations including Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus and decision has already been taken to provide this facility at 5 more stations including Matheran over Central Railway. In Western Railway, this facility has been provided at 26 stations including Bandra.**

**(b): No, Madam.**

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