GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1978 TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.03.2018

AUDIT SYSTEM

† 1978. SHRI RAM CHARAN BOHRA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the World Bank and International Monetary Fund has pointed out anomalies in audit system of Indian Railways;
- (b) if so, the detail thereof;
- (c) the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (d) whether the Railways are contemplating to take remedial measures to resolve main issues in present systems; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the salient features of the said audit system?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (c): As per the Ministry's records no such report appears to have been received in the Ministry.
- (d) & (e): Indian Railways already have an effective system of auditing comprising of internal audit as well as external audit to ensure transparency by Comptroller & Auditor General of India. Statutory audit of Indian Railways is conducted by Comptroller & Auditor

General of India and audit report on performance of Railways is presented before the Parliament which is also examined by the Public Accounts Committee.
