GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.885 TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.02.2018

FOOT OVER BRIDGE

†885. SHRI NIHAL CHAND:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of railway stations of North-Western Railway without foot over bridge facility due to which passengers meet with accidents while crossing rail tracks;

(b) the procedure proposed for the construction of foot over bridge on the said railway stations; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) to (c): As per extant instructions, Foot Over Bridges (FOBs) are to be provided at all 'A-1', 'A' and 'B' category railway stations. There are 37 'A-1', 'A' and 'B' category Railway stations over North Western Railway. Out of these, FOBs already exist at 36 railway stations except Jawai Bandh Railway station, for which it has been planned to provide FOB during 2018-19.

As per extant instructions, FOBs shall be provided at all crossing stations during doubling/gauge conversion upto 'D' category stations, where the same is not provided. FOBs already exist at 30 'D' category railway stations over North Western Railway.