GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.247 TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2018

MOBILE TRAIN RADIO COMMUNICATION

247. SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of trains that use Mobile Train Radio Communication (MTRC) system on its complete routes;
- (b) the details of the number of trains and routes that are yet to avail the MTRC system completely and/or partially; and
- (c) the time by which all major train routes are going to use the MTRC system?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

- (a): 25 nos. of trains are using Mobile Train Radio Communication (MTRC) on its complete routes.
- (b) & (c): Long Term Evolution (LTE) based Telecommunication System is being planned for MTRC System over Indian Railways to cover all the trains. Accordingly, steps have been taken for Pan India allocation of 10 MHz frequency spectrum in 700 MHz frequency band to Indian Railways.
