

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2481
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.12.2018**

SAFETY OF WOMEN IN TRAINS

†2481. SHRI HARISH CHANDRA ALIAS HARISH DWIVEDI :

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government proposes changes in the Railway Act regarding women safety; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) and (b): A proposal has been initiated to insert enabling provisions in the Railways Act 1989 to empower authorised officer to prosecute offenders involved in insulting modesty of women passengers in passenger area.
