GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1709 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.02.2019

CLEANLINESS AT STATIONS

1709. ADV. NARENDRA KESHAV SAWAIKAR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has recently conducted a survey to assess cleanliness at Railway Stations in the Country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof together with the rankings; and
- (c) whether it is a fact that iconic stations in big cities have been found to have moved down in the ranking and if so, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) Yes, Madam. Railways had conducted a survey regarding cleanliness at 407 major Railway Stations in the country. The details of the survey are available on Indian Railway website at the link "http://www.indianrailways.gov.in/railwayboard/uploads/directorate/ Environment_Management/Swachh_Rail_Swachh_Bharat_2018_Report.pdf".

(c) The marks obtained by most of the stations have improved, which shows that all stations are striving hard to improve. It is not correct that iconic stations have moved down in ranking e.g. Mumbai CST has improved in score and also ranking. However, some of the stations have come down in comparative ranking, though they have secured more marks than previous year, as other stations have shown higher improvement.
