GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4753 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.03.2023

REGIONAL RAIL MUSEUM

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to set up Regional Rail Museums in various States of the country including Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) the estimated cost of the projects; and
- (d) the time by which the museums are likely to be set up?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

- (a) At present there is no proposal to set up new Regional Rail Museums in the country. The current policy of the Government of India is to develop only Digital Museums at important Railway Stations of the country subject to justification/feasibility on case to case basis. In the State of Rajasthan, digital museums/screens have been provided at the following stations:
- (i) Jaipur (ii) Ajmer (iii) Udaipur (iv) Bikaner (v) Jodhpur & (vi) Jaisalmer. Further, Rail Museum at Ajmer, developed with funding by Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India has been established and is open to public since 26.04.2021
- (b) to (d) Do not arise.
