

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3415  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.08.2023**

**NEW TRAIN FROM MALDA TO NEW DELHI VIA PATNA**

**3415. SHRI KHAGEN MURMU:**

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is planning to run any new train from Malda Town to New Delhi via Patna;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether there is any plan to run any new Vande Bharat train on this rail section; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND  
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

**(a) to (d) Malda Town-Delhi sector is served by 5 pairs of trains, all of which operate via Patna. Besides, introduction of trains, including Vande Bharat services, is an ongoing process on Indian Railways subject to operational feasibility, traffic justification, etc.**

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