

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 485
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.11.2019**

EXTENSION OF RAJDHANI EXPRESS

†485. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR PINTU:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to run New Delhi-Dibrugarh Rajdhani via Sitamarhi-Raxaul-Darbhanga-Samastipur;**
- (b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be run; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (c) There is no such proposal, at present. Owing to operational constraints, introduction of a train between New Delhi and Dibrugarh via Sitamarhi-Raxaul-Darbhanga-Samastipur or diversion of the Rajdhani Express via this route is not feasible, at present.
