GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2093 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.03.2020

HALT AT KANKAVLI AND SAWANTWADI STATIONS

†2093. SHRI VINAYAK RAUT:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government proposes to add additional halts on

Tejas Express train route at Kankavli and Sawantwadi stations;

(b) if so, the time by which these new halts are likely to be added along with the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (c) 22119/22120 Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminal – Karmali Tejas Express is a fast service with limited number of stoppages enroute. Proliferation of stoppages enroute the train, including those at Kankavli and Sawantwadi Road, is operationally not expedient. However, passengers of Kankavli and Sawantwadi Road may avail the service from Kudal. Moreover, both Kankavli and Sawantwadi Road are well connected to Mumbai by 14 pairs and 12 pairs of trains respectively including the services of 12051/12052 Madgaon-Dadar Jan Shatabdi Express.

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