

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2245  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.03.2020**

**RAILWAY DIVISIONS IN TAMIL NADU**

**2245. SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R.:**

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

- (a) the details of railway divisions in Tamil Nadu;**
- (b) the total number of trains operated from Salem division to other States and within Tamil Nadu; and**
- (c) the details of users in Salem division for last three years?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY**

**(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)**

**(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.**

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2245 BY SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R. TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 04.03.2020 REGARDING RAILWAY DIVISIONS IN TAMIL NADU**

**(a): Headquarters of Chennai, Salem, Tiruchchirappalli and Madurai Divisions of Southern Railway are in Tamil Nadu. In addition, jurisdictions of Thiruvananthpuram and Palakkad Divisions of Southern Railway, Guntakal Division of South Central Railway and Bengaluru Division of South Western Railway, partially come under the State of Tamil Nadu.**

**(b): 150 numbers of Trains are operated from Salem Division to other States and 34 numbers of Trains are operated within Tamil Nadu State.**

**(c): The details of total inward and outward passengers in Salem Division during last three years are as under:**

<b>Year</b>	<b>2017-18</b>	<b>2018-19</b>	<b>2019-20 (up to January'2020)</b>
<b>Total inward and outward passengers (in Lakhs)</b>	<b>642.47</b>	<b>728.73</b>	<b>617.39</b>

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