NEW TRAINS FROM BIHAR

†2780. SHRIMATI RAMA DEVI:
   SHRI GIRIDHARI YADAV:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways had introduced any train service during the last three years to ensure connectivity to other States from Bihar;

(b) if so, the trains, service and place-wise;

(c) whether the Railways proposed to introduce more train services from Bihar to cities of other States in view of the growing demand for more trains;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor and the reaction of the Government thereto?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (e) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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(a) to (e) Indian Railways do not operate train services on State-wise as Railway network straddles across state boundaries. However, during the last three years, the following services have been introduced serving the stations located in the state of Bihar on originating/terminating basis:-

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