

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1722
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.09.2020**

STOPPING OF CONCESSION IN FARE

†1722. SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the concessions that were given earlier to old age people, physically challenged persons and others in special trains has been stopped;**
- (b) if so, whether the Government proposes to provide concessions in passenger fare in the special trains running at present on the lines of the past system;**
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (d): In view of Health Advisory issued due to Covid-19 pandemic, with effect from 20.03.2020, concessions on passenger fare have been withdrawn for all categories of passengers except for the 4 categories of Divyangjan, 11 categories of Patients and Students till further advice.
