### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 485 TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.09.2020

#### **MODEL STATIONS IN RAJASTHAN**

†485. SHRI HANUMAN BENIWAL:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to grant budget for development of Nagaur Midata Road, Kutchaman, Deedwana, etc. stations as model stations in Rajasthan; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

#### **ANSWER**

## MINISTER OF RAILWAYS AND COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) and (b) 'Model' station scheme was in vogue from 1999 to 2008. Initially one station per Division of Indian Railways was selected under the scheme. In the year 2006, the criteria were revised to include all 'A' and 'B' category stations on the basis of the annual passenger earnings under the scheme. Under this scheme 594 stations were selected for upgradation on Indian Railways. Out of these, 27 stations including Nagaur Station were identified for upgradation as model station in the state of Rajasthan and have been developed under the said scheme.

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