

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2649
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.08.2021**

STOPPAGE AT SWAROOP NAGAR RAILWAY STATION

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to provide stoppages of Bikaner-Bandra-Bikaner Ranakpur Express Train (14707/14708), Ashram Express (12915/12916), Ahmedabad Gorakhpur Express (19409/19410) and Haridwar Express ((19105/19106) trains at Swaroopnagar railway station in Sirohi district where there is no stoppages of important trains inspite of the fact that is connected with largest rail network of the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) and (b) Swarupganj is located on Marwar-Palanpur section of Sirohi District. Prior to discontinuation of regular passenger train services, w.e.f. 23rd March, 2020, in view of Covid-19 pandemic, Swarupganj was being served by 02 pairs of Mail/Express and 02 pairs of Passenger services including 19411/12 Ajmer-Sabarmati Express, whose experimental stoppage had been provided at Swarupganj w.e.f. 29.01.2019. Presently, Swarupganj is being served by 02 pairs of Special Mail/Express services, which are providing connectivity, to the passengers of Swarupganj, for destinations like Ajmer, Jaipur, Jodhpur, Ahmedabad, Vadodara, Mumbai etc.

Owing to operational constraints and for the lack of commercial justification, at present, there is no proposal for stoppage of additional trains at Swarupganj. However, provision of stoppages of trains is an ongoing process on Indian Railways, subject to operational feasibility and traffic justification etc.
