

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 259
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.12.2021**

STOPPAGE AT JAUNPUR

***259. SHRI SHYAM SINGH YADAV:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any criteria to decide stoppage of trains at a particular railway station;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) the details of all the trains having a stoppage at Jaunpur City and Jaunpur Junction railway stations;**
- (d) whether the Government intends to increase stoppage of trains at the said railway stations; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

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

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF
STARRED QUESTION NO. 259 BY SHRI SHYAM SINGH YADAV TO BE
ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 15.12.2021 REGARDING STOPPAGE AT
JAUNPUR**

**(a) and (b) The criteria relating to provision of stoppages of
Mail/Express trains, inter alia, stipulates to consider the following
factors:**

- (1) Total sale of tickets at the station for both UP and DN direction
for all the trains already stopping at the station, distance wise,
class-wise and cost-wise**
- (2) trains already stopping/availability of alternative services,
convenience and occupancy of the existing services**
- (3) effect on line capacity of the section and punctuality of trains**
- (4) population and significance of towns/cities and new
developments taking place**
- (5) nature of the train and occupancy of the train for which
stoppage is demanded**
- (6) operational constraints etc.**
- (7) pattern of traffic at the station**
- (8) passing time of the train at the station.**

**(c) to (e) At present, Jaunpur City is being served by 15 pairs of trains.
Similarly, Jaunpur Junction is being served by 24 pairs of train
services. These services are considered adequate to cater to the**

present level of traffic. Provision of stoppage of additional trains at Jaunpur City and/or Jaunpur Junction is operationally not expedient, at present. However, provision of stoppage is an ongoing process on Indian Railways subject to operational feasibility and traffic justification.
