

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1242
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.02.2022**

FREQUENCY OF TRAIN

†1242. SHRI DEVJI M. PATEL:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether thousands of people belonging to Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and other States living at Abu Road and Pindwara tehsils face lot of difficulties as train no. 19409/19410 Ahmedabad-Gorakhpur Express runs only twice a week; and

(b) if so, whether the Government proposes to run the said train on daily basis in view of problems being faced by the commuters and heavy load of traffic and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) and (b) Ahmedabad-Gorakhpur sector is presently being served by 04 pairs of trains, of which 02 pairs operate on the Ahmedabad-Abu Road-Pindwara-Gorakhpur sector, catering inter alia to the needs of passengers of Abu Road/Pindwara. Increase in frequency of 19409/19410 Ahmedabad-Gorakhpur Express is not feasible, at present due to operational and resource constraints. However, increase in frequency of existing train services is an on-going process on Indian Railways subject to operational feasibility, traffic justification etc.
