

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5707  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.04.2022**

**UPGRADATION OF STATIONS UNDER ADARSH STATION SCHEME**

**5707. SHRI NAMA NAGESWARA RAO:**

**ADV. A.M. ARIFF:**

**SHRI NALIN KUMAR KATEEL:**

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of railway stations proposed for development under Adarsh Station Scheme in the country including Kerala, Station/Zone-wise;**
- (b) the details of railway stations that have been developed under the said scheme till date, Station/Zone-wise;**
- (c) whether the Government has set up any mechanism to monitor the upgradation process of railway stations under this scheme and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;**
- (d) the present status of the said work and the time by which the upgradation works are likely to be completed;**
- (e) whether there are a number of stations which lack in better passenger amenities at stations;**
- (f) if so, whether any representations have been received from various quarters for the development of railway stations with better amenities under this scheme; and**
- (g) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

**(a) to (g): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.**

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (g) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5707 BY SHRI NAMA NAGESWARA RAO, ADV. A.M. ARIFF AND SHRI NALIN KUMAR KATEEL TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 06.04.2022 REGARDING UPGRADATION OF STATIONS UNDER ADARSH STATION SCHEME**

**(a): 1253 stations have been identified for development under Adarsh Station Scheme nation-wide, including railway stations in the State of Kerala. The detailed list of railway stations zone-wise, is as under:**

| <b>Railway</b>               | <b>Name of Station</b>  |
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| <b>Central<br/>(72)</b>      | <b>Ahmednagar, Ajni, Ambernath, Belapur, Bhandup, Burhanpur, Chembur, Chinchwad, Currey Road, Dadar, Devlali, Dhule, Diva, Dock Yard, Dombivli, Ghatkopar, Gulbarga, Jalgaon, Jayasinghpur, Junnordao (Jamai), Kalmeshwar, Karad, Karjat, Kasara, Katol, Khadki, Khandwa, Khopoli, King's Circle, Kolhapur, Kopergaon, Kurla, Latur, Malkapur, Matunga, Miraj, Multai, Mulund, Nahur, Nandura, Narkhed, Nasik Road, Nimbhora, Pandhurna, Pandal, Parasia, Puntamba, Sangli, Sanpada, Savda, Sewri, Shirdi, Shivajinagar, Solapur, Tilaknagar, Turbhe, Ulhasnagar, Varangaon, Vashi, Vishrambaug, Wadi and Wardha, Rahuri, Manmad, Amravati, Odha, Daund, Baramati, Nira, Majri, Khapri, Satara.</b> |
| <b>East Coast<br/>(52)</b>   | <b>Angul, Balangir, Balugaon, Bargarh Road, Bhadrak, Bobbili, Dhenkanal, Doikallu, Duvvada, Jajpur-Keonjhar Road, Jakhapura, Kantabanji, Kesinga, Khariar Road, Khurda Road, Koraput, Lanjigarh Road, Lapanga, Mahasamund, Meramandali, Muniguda, Naupada, Palasa, Paradeep, Parvathipuram, Raghunathpur, Rayagada, Rengali, Srikakulam Road (Amudalavalsa), Talcher, Titlagarh Jn., Visakhapatnam (Vizag), Vizianagram. Chipurupalle, Ichchapuram, Simhachalam. Pendurti, Raj Athgarh, Dhanmandal, Brahmapur, Chatrapur, Sambalpur, Khallikot, Ganjam, Barpali. Salegaon, Jagdalpur, Loisingha, Deogaon Road, Sompeta, Araku and Damanjodi.</b>  |
| <b>East Central<br/>(58)</b> | <b>Anugraha Narayan Road, Ara, Bairstonia, Bajpatti, Barauni Jn. Barwadih, Begusarai, Biharsharif, Buxar, Chandauli Majhwar, Chandrapura, Daltonganj, Dhanbad, Dildarnagar, Dumra, Dumraon, Garhpura, Garhwa Road Jn., Ghora Sahan, Gomoh Jn., Hasanpur Road, Hisua, Janakpur Road, Jehanabad, Kharik, Latehar, Madhubani, Maheshkhut, Mansi Jn., Mughalsarai Jn., Narainpur, Naugachia, Nawadah, Parashnath, Patna Saheb Jn., Phusro, Rafiganj, Sahpur Patori, Salauna, Sasaram Jn., Sheikhpura, Simribakhtiyarpur, Singrauli, Sitamarhi, Supaul, Tehta, Thanabihpur and Warsaliganj, Chakia, Makhdumpur, Tori, Jamui, Narkatiyaganj, Harinagar, Bagha, Bokaro Thermal, Katrasgarh, Gumia.</b>     |
| <b>Eastern</b>               | <b>Abhaipur, Adisaptagram, Agrapara, Ahmedpur, Akra, Ambalgram, Ambikakalna (Kalna), Andal, Aranghata, Asansol,</b>   |

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**Asoknagar Road, Azimganj City, Azimganj Jn., Badkulla, Bagbazar, Baghajatin, Bagula, Bahadurpur, Baharu, Bahirgachhi, Bahirpuya, Baidyabati, Balagarh, Balarambati, Balgona, Ballalpur, Bally, Ballyganj Jn., Ballyghat, Bamangachhi, Bandel, Banka pasi, Bankimnagar, Banpur, Bansbaria, Barakar, Baranagar, Barasat Jn., Barddhaman, Barrackpore, Baruipara, Baruipur Jn., Basirhat, Basudevpur, Basuldanga, Bathnakrittiba, BBD Bag, Begampur, Belanagar, Beldanga, Belerhat, Belgharia, Beliaghata Rd., Belur, Belur Math, Berhampur Court, Betberia ghola, Bethuadaheri, Bhadreswar, Bhagalpur, Bhagwangola, Bhasila, Bhatar, Bhedia (Ausgram), Bhimgarh, Bidhannagar, Bidyadharpur, Biman Bandar, Bira, Birati, Birnagar, Bisorepara Kotalia, Boinchi, Bolpur, Bongaon, Brace-Bridge, Budgebudge, Burobazar, Canning, Chakdaha, Chamagram, Champa Pukur, Champahati, Chanchai, Chandannagar, Chandanpur, Chandpara, Chatra, Chittaranjan, Chowrigacha, Chuchura, Dainhat, Dakhineswar, Dankuni, Debagram, Deoghar, Deula, Dhakuria, Dhaniakhali, Dhapdhopi, Dhatrigran, Dhubulia, Diamond Harbour Rd., Dubrajpur, Dumdum Cant., Dumdum Jn., Dumka, Dumurdaha, Durganagar, Durgapur, Duttapukur, Eden Garden, Gadadharpur, Galsi, Gangnapur, Garia, Gede, Ghogha, Ghutiarisharif, Gobordanga, Gobra, Gopalnagar, Guma, Guptipara, Gurap, Gushkora, Habibpur, Habra, Halisahar, Haripal, Hasnabad, Harua Road, Hindmotor, Hooghly, Hotar, Hridayapur, Ichhapur, Jadavpur, Jagaddal, Jagadishpur, Jamalpur, Jamuria, Janai Road, Jangipur Road, Jasidih, Jessore Road, Jiaganj, Jirat, Joynagar Mojilpur, Kahalgaon, Kaikala, Kakdwip, Kalikapur, Kalinagar, Kalinarayanpur Jn., Kalyani, Kalyani Ghoshpara, Kalyani Silpanchal, Kalyanpur, Kamarkundu, Kanchrapara, Kankinara, Kashinagar, Katwa, Khagraghat Rd., Khaltipur, Khana, Khardah, Khidirpur, Kirnagar, Konnagar, Krishnanagar City Jn., Kulpi, Kulti, Labpur, Lake Garden, Lakshmi Kantapur, Lalgola, Lilluah, Lohapur, Loknath, Madanpur, Madhupur, Madhusudanpur, Madhyamgram, Magrahat, Majhdia, Majher Gram, Malatipur, Malda Town, Mallikpur, Manigram, Mankundu, Masagram, Maslandapur, Memari, Mollarpur, Muragacha, Murarai, Murshidabad, Nabadwipghat, Nabadwipdham, Nabagram, Naihati Jn., Nalhati, Nalikul, Namkhana, Narendrapur, Nasibpur, Netra, New Alipore, New Barakpore, New Farakka, Nischindpur, Paglachandi, Pakur, Palassy, Palla Road, Palpara, Palsit, Palta, Panagarh, Pandaveswar, Panduah, Park Circus, Patipukur, Patuli, Phulia, Pirtala, Prantik, Princepghat, Purbasthali, Rajbandh, Rampurhat, Ranaghat, Raniganj, Remount Road, Rishra, Rupnarayanpur, Rusulpur, Sagardighi, Sahibganj, Sainthia, Saktigarh, Salanpur, Salar, Samudragarh, Sangrampur, Santoshpur, Shantipur, Sheoraphuli, Shivnarayanpur, Shyamnagar, Simlagarh, Simurali, Singur, Sitarampur, Siuri, Sodpur, Sonarpur, Sondalia, Subhasgram, Sultanganj, Surjyapur, Taki Road, Tala, Taldi, Talit, Tarakeswar, Tarapith Rd., Thakurnagar, Tildanga, Titagarh, Tollygange, Tribeni, Uttarpara, Giridih and Dharhara.**

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| <p><b>North Central</b><br/><br/>(42)</p>      | <p><b>Achhnera, Aligarh, Atarra, Banda, Bharwari, Birla Nagar, Bhuteshwar, Chitrakut Dham Karvi, Chola, Dabra, Dapsaura, Dhaulpur, Fatehpur, Fatehpur Sikri, Firozabad, Gwalior, Kalpi, Khajuraho, Khulpahar, Khurja Jn., Kiraoli, Lalitpur, Manikpur, Mirzapur, Moth, Naini, Orai, Pokhrayan, Rurah, Sikohabad, Sirathu, Tundla, Vrindaban Road, Hathras, Vindhyachal, Dabhaura, Phaphund, Rasulpur Gogumau, Bamhrauli, Etawa, Titamgarh and Goverdhan.</b></p>   |
| <p><b>North Eastern</b><br/><br/>(53)</p>      | <p><b>Azamgarh, Babhnan, Bahraich, Ballia, Balrampur, Barhni, Basti, Bilaspur Road, Bilhaur, Burhwal, Chhapra Jn., Chouri-Choura, Daraganj, Deoria Sadar, Farrukhabad Jn., Ghazipur City, Gonda Jn., Jakhania, Jhusi, Jiradai, Kathgodam, Khalilabad, Maghar, Mau Jn., Munderwa, Naugarh (Siddharth Nagar), Nautanwa, Padrauna, Pilibhit Jn., Ramnagar, Sadat, Salempur Jn., Shohrathgarh and Sitapur, Manduadih, Varanasi City, Barhaj Bazar, Lakhimpur, Colonelganj, Useka Bazar, Gorakhpur, Mahmudabad, Fatehgarh, Belthara Road, Bhatni Jn, maniram, Pipraich, Suraimanpur, Karimuddinpur, Chit Baragaon, Gaur, Ram Chaura Halt and Gomati Nagar.</b></p>  |
| <p><b>Northeast Frontier</b><br/><br/>(91)</p> | <p><b>Alipurduar, Alipurduar Court, Alipurduar Jn., Aluabari Road, Ambari falakata, Arariya, Arariya Court, Badarpur jn., Baghdogra, Balurghat, Bamangram Halt, Bamanhat, Banarhat, Baneswar, Barpeta Road, Barsoi Jn., Basugaon, Batasi, Belakoba, Bijni, Buniyadpur, Changrabandha, Chatterhat, Cooch Behar, Dalkolha, Darjeeling, Dhulabari, Dhupguri, Dimapur, Dinhata, Eklakhi, Fakiragram Jn., Falakata, Forbesganj, Gazole, Ghoksadanga, Ghum, Goreswar, Gosaigaonhat, Haldibari, Harishchandrapur, Hasimara, Hojai, Jakhalabandha, Jalpaiguri, Jalpaiguri Road, Jogbani, Jorhat Town, Kalchini, Kaliyaganj, Kamakhyaguri, Karimganj Jn., Kishanganj, Kokrajhar, Madarihat, Malda Court, Matigara, Nagrakata, New Alipurduar, New Bongaigaon, New Cooch Behar, New Domohani, New Mainaguri, Old Malda, Panjipara, Raiganj, Rangapara North, Rangiya, Rowta Bagan, Salakati, Samsi (Chanchol), Silchar, Siliguri Jn., Simraha, Sivok, Sonada, Srirampur Assam, Sukna, Tangla, Thakurganj, Tihu, Tipkai and Udalguri, Peetharthal, Bongaigaon, Jagi Road, Furkating, Radhikapur Naksalbari Tatibahar and Narangi.</b></p> |
| <p><b>Northern</b><br/><br/>(124)</p>          | <p><b>Abohar, Acharya Narendra Dev Nagar, Ambala Cantt. Jn., Amethi, Amroha, Anandpur Sahib, Ayodhya, Bahadurgarh, Bala Mau, Bani, Barabanki, Baragaon, Bareta, Bathinda, Barnala, Bhadaian, Bharat Kund, Bijnor, Bilhar Ghat, Chandausi, Chandpur Siau, Daryabad, Delhi Kishanganj, Dera Baba Nanak, Dhuri Jn., Doiwala, Faridkot, Fazilka, Gaura, Gauri Ganj, Ghaziabad, Giddarbaha, Gurdaspur, Gurgaon, Haider Garh, Hapur, Hardoi, Hiranagar, Hoshiarpur, Jais, Jaunpur, Jaunpur City, Jwalaji (Jawala Mukhi Road), Kalanour, Kathua, Karnal, Khanna, Kotdwara, Kunda Harnam Ganj, Kurukshetra, Lehragaga, Maler Kotla, Lal Ganj, Lal Gopal Ganj, Mansa, Maur, Meerut Cantt., Meerut City, Moga, Muktsar, Musafir Khana, Muzaffarnagar, Naimisharanya, Palwal,</b></p>   |

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| <p><b>North Western</b><br/><br/>(41)</p>     | <p><b>Abu Road, Alwar, Anupgarh, Balotra, Barmer, Bhiwani, Choti Khatu, Churu, Dausa, Jaipur, Jaisalmer, Jalor, Jodhpur, Khairthal, Kolayat, Kosli, Ladnun, Lalgargh, Lunkaransar, Nokha, Nohar, Raisingh Nagar, Rajgarh, Ratangarh, Ringas, Sadulpur, Sardar Sahar, Sirsa, Sri Dungar Garh, Sujan Garh and Tehsil Bhadra, Gogameri, Sri Karanpur, Durgapura, Sri Vijaynaga, Mahendra Garh, Rewari, Mavli Jn., Beawar, Marwar and Neem Ka Thana.</b></p>   |
| <p><b>South Central</b><br/><br/>(68)</p>     | <p><b>Adilabad, Adoni, Aler, Anantapur, Bapatla, Bhongir, Bidar, Chittoor, Dwarapudi, Gangakhed, Ghanpur, Gudur, Guntakal, Guntur, Hingoli, Jalna, Jammikunta, Jangaon, Kakinada Town, Kamareddi, Karimnagar, Kazipet, Khammam, Kurnool Town, Lingampalli, Macherla, Machilipatnam, Mahbubnagar, Malkajgiri, Nagarsol, Nalgonda, Nandyal, Narasaraopet, Nellore, Nizamabad, Parbhani, Parli Vaijnath, Piduguralla, Pokarni Narsimha, Purna, Raghunathpalli, Ramagundam, Renigunta, Sattenapalli, Shankarpalli, Tandur, Udgir, Vikarabad, Vinukonda, Warangal and Zahirabad (Medak), Markapur Road, Basar, Raichur, Moula Ali, Nagalapalli, New Guntur, Nallapadu, Donakonda, Aurangabad, Mantrilayam Road. Rajamundry, Ongol, Repalle, Kisamudram, Gadwal, Washim and Dharmabad.</b></p> |
| <p><b>Southeast Central</b><br/><br/>(28)</p> | <p><b>Ambikapur, Anuppur, Balpur, Belpahar, Bhilai Power House, Champa, Chindwara, Chirimiri, Dongargarh, Itwari, Kamptee, Korba, Manendragarh, Raigarh, Raipur, Rajnandgaon, Ramtek, Shahdol, Umaria, Umrer, Durg, Howbagh, Gondia, Bhandara Road, Kirodimal Nagar, Balaghat, Tilda and Usalapur.</b></p>   |
| <p><b>South Eastern</b><br/><br/>(86)</p>     | <p><b>Adra, Amta, Anara, Andul, Bagnan, Bakhrabad, Balasore, Balichak, Bankura, Banspani, Banstala, Barabhum, Bargachia, Baripada, Bauria, Beliatore, Birshibpur, Bishnupur, Bokaro, Brindabanpur, Burnpur, Chakradharpur, Chakulia, Chandrakona Road., Chas Road, Chengail, Chhatna, Contai Rd. (Belda), Dantan, Dasnagar, Deulti, Domjur, Durgachak, Fuleswar, Garbeta, Ghoragata, Gidhni, Girimaidan, Gokulpur, Gourinathdham, Harishdadpur, Haur, Hijli, Jaleswar, Jhantipahari, Jhargram, Jharsuguda, Joychandipahar, Kalaikunda, Kanthi, Khemasuli, Kolaghat, Kotshila, Kulgachia, Lohardaga, Mahisadal, Mecheda, Midnapur, Mourigram, Nandakumar, Narayan Pakuria Murail, Narayangarh, Nekurseni, Panskura, Purulia, Radhamohanpur, Rairangpur, Rajgoda,</b></p>                  |

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| <b>Southern<br/>(128)</b>         | <b>Alappuzha (Alleppey), Aluva, Ambalapuzha, Angamali for kaladi, Arakkonam, Ariyalur, Auvaneeswaram, Avadi, Badagara, Chalakudi, Changanacheri, Charvathur, Chengannur, Chennai Beach, Chennai Chetpet (Flag), Chennai Park, Cherthala (Shertalai), Chingavanam, Chromepet, Coimbatore Jn., Dhanuvachapuram, Etakkot, Ettumanur, Feroke, Guruvayur, Haripad, Irinjalakuda, Jaganath Temple Gate, Kanhangad, Kanjiramittam, Kannapuram, Kanniyakumari, Kannur, Karunagapalli, Karuvatta, Kasargod, Kayankulam jn, Kochuveli, Kollam (Quilon), Korukkupet, Kotikulam, Kottarakara, Kottayam, Kumbakonam, Kuruppantara, Kazhakkuttom, Kozhikkode, Kudalnagar, Mahe, Manavur, Manjeswaram, Mararikulam, Mavelikara, Mayiladuturai, Mulanturutti, Nagappattinam, Nagore, Nilambur Road, Nileswar, Ochira, Pamban, Pappinisseri, Parappanangadi, Paravur, Pattikkadu, Payangadi, Payyanur, Peelamudu, Perambur Carriage Works, Piravam Road, Puducherry, Pudukottai, Punalur, Quilandi, Rajapalayam, Royapuram, Salem, Sankarankoil, Sasthankotta, Senji Panambakkam, Srirangam, Srivilliputtur, St. Thomas Mount, Tambaram, Teni, Tenkasi Jn, Thalasseri (Tellicherry), Thiruverumbur, Tiruchchirappalli Jn., Tiruninravur, Tiruppur, Tirur, Tiruvalangadu, Tiruvalla, Tiruvallur, Tiruvarur, Tiruvizha, Trichur (Trisur), Tripunittura, Tuticorin, Vaikam Road, Valapattanam, Vayalar, Vellarakkad, Virudunagar Jn., Vridhdhachalam Jn., Wadakancheri, Ernakulam Town, Chirayinkil, Kannur South, Kumbla, Triklarpur, Bekal Fort, Mangalore Jn, Kadayannallur, Kanchipuram, Kundara, Mulangunnathukavu, Vallathol Nagar, Ottappalam, Thirupparankundram, Tirumangalam. Irugur, Kaniyapuram, Angadipuram, Katpadi, Vellore Cantonment and Tiruvananthapuram Central.</b> |
| <b>South<br/>Western<br/>(45)</b> | <b>Almatti, Badami, Bagalkot, Bantawala, Belgaum, Bellary, Bijapur, Chamarajanagar, Chikballapur, Chintamani, Curchorem, Daroji, Davangere, Devanahalli, Dharwad, Dodballapur, Gadag, Gauribidanur, Gokak Road, Gudgeri, Harihar, Haveri, Hindupur, Hole Narsipur, Hosur, Hubli, Kabakaputtur, Kalas, Kolar, Koppal, Kudachi, Kuppam, Londa, Mallapur, Nanjangud Town, Neralakatte, Prashanthi Nilayam, Sambre, Sanvordem, Sidlaghatta, Sri Satya Sai Srinivaspura, Subramanya Road, Tumkur, Ugar Khurd, Vasco-dagama and Yelahanka Jn,</b>  |
| <b>West<br/>Central<br/>(25)</b>  | <b>Ashok Nagar, Bina, Biora Rajgarh, Damoh, Dakaniya Talav, Gadarwara, Ghatara, Itarsi, Jabalpur, Kareli, Katni Murwara, Madanmahal, Maihar, Makronia, Patharia, Pipariya, Ruthiyai, Satna, Saugor, Sawai Madhopur. Shivpuri, Rewa, Bandakpur, Bheraghat and Sihora Road.</b>  |
| <b>Western</b>                    | <b>Amalner, Ambli Road, Andheri, Bandra, Bechraji, Bhaktinagar, Bhanvad, Bhatariya, Bhayander, Borivali, Charni Road, Chittorgarh</b>  |

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| (62) | <b>Jn., Churchgate, Dadar, Dahanu Road, Dahisar, Dahod, Dharangaon, Gandhigram, Gandhidham, Ghandhinagar capital, Goregaon, Himatnagar, Indore, Jamnagar, Kadi, Kandivili, Khambliya, Kim, Kosamba, Lalpurjam, Lower Parel, Madsaur, Malad, Maninagar, Marine Lines, Meghnagar, Mira Road, Mumbai Central(Local), Naigaon, Nandurbar, Navsari, New Bhuj, Okha, Palanpur, Patan, Ratlam, Sabarmati, Sabarmati BG, Santacruz, Saphale, Siddhpur, Udhna, Ujjain, Una, Unja, Vadnagar, Vangaon, Vijapur, Virar, Visnagar and Vyara.</b> |
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**(b) to (d): Under ‘Adarsh’ Station Scheme, 1253 stations have been identified for development, out of which 1213 stations so far have been developed and the remaining 40 stations are targeted to be developed by Financial Year 2022-23.**

**Indian Railways has an inbuilt mechanism to check the quality of works, which is being performed at various levels by concerned Railway officials as per guidelines laid down in the Indian Railways Engineering Code, Indian Railways Works Manual and Specification etc. and the works which meet the laid down standards only are accepted.**

**(e) to (g) Augmentation/Improvement of passenger amenities at railway stations is a continuous and on-going process. At the time of construction of station, Minimum Essential Amenities (MEA) are provided as per norms based on the category of station. Recommended and Desirable Amenities are further escalated from time to time with growth in passenger traffic at stations, based on needs and expectations of the travelling public and availability of funds.**

**At present development of railway stations is also undertaken under Adarsh Station Scheme based on identified need of providing better enhanced passenger amenities at stations.**

**Selection of railway stations under Adarsh Station scheme is based on the identified need for upgradation of amenities in view of the requests/demands received from public representatives and recommendations from Zonal Railways from time to time. However, with a view to meet the expectations of the rail users, Indian Railways is making all out efforts to provide improved amenities/facilities at railway stations and works in this regard are undertaken depending upon volume of the passenger traffic and inter-se priority subject to availability of funds.**

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