

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2567  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.08.2024**

**PINK CITY EXPRESS AT PALAM STATION**

**†2567 SHRI RAMVIR SINGH BIDHURI:**

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that train No. 00501 and 00502 Pink City Express which runs from Sarai Rohilla to Jaipur had a halt at Palam Railway Station before 2019 but this halt has been discontinued since 2019 due to which lakhs of devotees of Palam and Dwarka area have been facing great inconvenience while going for darshan of Khatu Shyamji;**
- (b) if so, whether the Government proposes to give a two-minute halt to the pink city express at Palam Station in view of the demand of the people of the area;**
- (c) whether the Government has any proposal for one minute halt of Ajmer Jan Shatabdi (Train No. 12065 and 12066) and Chetak Express (Train No. 20473 and 20474) at Palam Railway Station; and**
- (d) if so, the time line by which these proposals will be implemented?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

**(a) to (d) During the Meter Gauge era, 2901/2902 Pink City Express used to operate between Delhi and Jaipur, without scheduled stoppage at Palam. At present, there is no train service named 00501/00502 Delhi Sarai Rohilla-Jaipur Pink City Express. However, Palam is presently being served by 32 train services. Besides, provision of stoppages of train services is an ongoing process on Indian Railways subject to traffic justification, operational feasibility, etc.**

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