GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 225 TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.12.2024

TRAINS BETWEEN BHIWANI AND JAIPUR

*225. SHRI DHARAMBIR SINGH:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is planning to regularize train 09733/09734 between Bhiwani and Jaipur and allot it a permanent number;

(b) if so, the timeline for its implementation;

(c) whether the rescheduling of train 14705 has caused inconvenience to the passengers connecting via train 14086 to Khatu Shyam;

(d) if so, whether the Government proposes to align the timings of trains 14086 and 14705 at Bhiwani;

(e) whether the Railways plans to upgrade the 16-coach washing line at Bhiwani to accommodate 24-coach trains and construct an additional washing line;

(f) if so, the details and the timeline thereof;

(g) whether the Government is introducing new train service between Bhiwani and Sikar via Rewari-Atteli-Narnaul-Ringas and if so, the details thereof; and

(h) whether stoppages for trains 14717/14718 and 22737/22738 are proposed to be provided at Siwani station and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

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

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STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (h) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 225 TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.12.2024

(a) to (d) Indian Railways (IR), in addition to regular train services, also operates special trains to cater to the extra rush of passengers during festivals, holidays etc. Accordingly, 09733/09734 Bhiwani-Jaipur Special is being operated by IR, which is in addition to the 07 pairs of regular Mail/Express trains and 2 pairs of special services catering the needs of passengers of Bhiwani-Jaipur sector.

To cater to the needs of the daily commuters, 14086 Sirsa-Tilak Bridge Express has been rescheduled along with 14705 Bhiwani-Dahar-Ka-Balaji (Jaipur) Express. The 14086 Sirsa-Tilak Bridge express arrival/departure time at Bhiwani is 05.20/05.30 now compared to earlier timing of 05.05/05.10. The 14705 Bhiwani-Dahar-ka-Balaji express now start from Bhiwani at 05:30 compared to the earlier timing of 05:00.

(e) and (f) The construction/Upgradation/extension of washing Pit line are planned as per operational requirement and depends on various factors like land acquisition, forest clearance, if any, shifting of infringing utilities, statutory clearances from various authorities, law and order situation at the project site etc. Accordingly, the work for up gradation of existing coach washing pit line at Bhiwani has been sanctioned.

(g) Presently, Bhiwani - Rewari sector is served by 17 pairs of trains while Rewari-Atelli-Naranul-Ringas sector is served by 16 pairs of train services, which are providing connection to the passengers for Ringas (Khatu Shyam Ji). Moreover, Ringas is also connected to Sikar by 18 pairs of train services. To improve connectivity between Bhiwani and Sikar, Final Location Survey(FLS) of Jhajjar- Charkhi Dadri- Loharu new line (94 Km) has been sanctioned for preparation of DPR. Further, to provide last mile connectivity to Khatushyamji, a new line between Ringus and Khatushyamji (17 Km) has also been sanctioned and work has been taken up.

(h) Siwani is presently being served by 05 pairs of Mail/Express services and 03 pairs of passenger train services. 14717/14718 Bikaner - Haridwar Express and 22737/22738 Secunderabad - Hisar Express have scheduled stoppage at Sadulpur/Hisar located near Siwani.

Besides, provision of stoppage of train services, regularisation of train services, rescheduling of train services and introduction of new train services are ongoing processes on Indian Railways subject to traffic justification, operational feasibility, etc.

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