

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

LOK SABHA

**STARRED QUESTION NO. 36
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.11.2024**

STOPPAGE OF TRAINS AT HOSADURGA RAILWAY STATION (CHITRADURGA)

***36 SHRI GOVIND MAKTHAPPA KARJOL:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there has been a long standing demand for the stoppage of train No. 17325/17326 (Vishwamanav Express), train No. 16535/16536 (Golgumbaz Express), train No. 17309/17310 (Vasco da Gama–YPR daily express) and train No. 11005/11035/11021 (Chalukya Express) at Hosadurga Railway Station in Chitradurga District, and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) whether the Government has held any meetings with zonal officers regarding stoppage of above said trains, if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) the reasons for not permitting stoppages of above said trains at Hosadurga Railway Station, if any?**

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. 36 BY SHRI GOVIND MAKTHAPPA KARJOL TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 27.11.2024 REGARDING STOPPAGE OF TRAINS AT HOSADURGA RAILWAY STATION (CHITRADURGA).

(a) to (c) Proposals/requests/suggestions/ representations, both formal and informal for stoppages of trains at various stations across the country are received from Members of Parliament, elected representatives, organizations/rail users etc. at various levels including Railway Board, Zonal Railways, Division Office etc. As receipt of such proposals/complaints/suggestions is a continuous and dynamic process, centralized compendium of such requests is not maintained. However, these are examined and action as found feasible and justified is taken from time to time.

Hosadurga Road station is presently being served by 8 Mail/Express and 2 Passenger train services. Additionally, to cater to the needs of passengers of Hosadurga Road, stoppage of special train service viz. 06545/06546 Yesvantpur - Vijayapura Special has also been provided at Hosadurga Road w.e.f 07-03-2023. Besides, provision for stoppage of train services is an ongoing process on Indian Railways subject to traffic justification, operational feasibility, etc.
