

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1474
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.12.2024**

DIRECT TRAIN SERVICE BETWEEN SOLAPUR TO NEW DELHI

1474. MS. PRANITI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under consideration to start a direct train service from Solapur to New Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether there are any interim measures being considered to improve connectivity between Solapur and New Delhi, such as increased frequency or additional stops on existing routes in case direct service is not feasible at present?

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c) Presently, Solapur is connected to Delhi by 2 pairs of trains including the daily service of 12627/12628 New Delhi-Bengaluru Karnataka Express. Besides, to improve connectivity, introduction of new train services, extension of services and provision of stoppages, are ongoing processes on Indian Railways, subject to traffic justification, operational feasibility, resource availability, etc.
