## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 332 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.11.2024

#### NEW SHATABDI TRAIN FROM DELHI TO PATHANKOT VIA GURDASPUR

### †332 SHRI SUKHJINDER SINGH RANDHAWA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce a new Shatabdi train from Delhi to Pathankot via Gurdaspur;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

#### ANSWER

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

## (SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c) At present, Pathankot is connected to Delhi by 04 pairs of Mail/Express services, out of which 3 pairs of trains namely, 18101/02 Tatanagar-Jammu Tawi Express, 18309/10 Bilaspur-Jammu Tawi Express and 22429/30 Delhi-Pathankot Express are being operated via Gurdaspur. Besides, introduction of new train services is an ongoing process on Indian Railways subject to traffic justification, operational feasibility, resource availability, etc.

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