

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2172  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.03.2025**

**AVERAGE SALE OF RAILWAY GENERAL TICKET**

**2172. SMT. MALA ROY:**

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

- (a) the details of average general rail ticket sale in New Delhi Railway Station per day during the last six month;**
- (b) the number of general rail tickets sale from New Delhi Railway Station on 15.02.2025; and**
- (c) whether the sale of tickets was abnormally high, if so, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

**(a) to (c) Unreserved tickets can be procured through various modes like Unreserved Ticketing Counters available at the Railway stations, UTS on Mobile App, Automatic Ticket Vending Machines (ATVMs), Jan Sadharan Ticket Booking Sevak (JTBS), Yatri Ticket Suvidha Kendra (YTSK) etc.**

**Further, unreserved tickets for distance upto 199 kilometers can be procured on the same day while advance period for procuring unreserved tickets for distance of 200 kilometers and above is 3 days. Further, from a Railway station, unreserved tickets can be issued for the journey originating from any of the cluster stations defined in the system viz. from New Delhi Railway station, unreserved tickets can be issued for the journey originating from any of the 57 stations of Delhi area. As such, unreserved tickets issued from a particular station on a particular date may or may not be for that station and date.**

**On 15.02.2025, approximately 49,000 general tickets were issued from New Delhi Railway Station, which were 13000 more than daily average number of tickets sold during the previous six months. To cater to this extra, five special trains were operated. One special train carries approximately 3000 passengers. Five trains were sufficient for 15000 extra passengers.**

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