

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1721
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.12.2025**

**LACK OF SUPERFAST TRAINS FROM SRI GANGANAGAR-
HANUMANGARH**

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that superfast trains such as Vande Bharat, Shatabdi and Intercity are still not operating from the parliamentary constituency Sri Ganganagar– Hanumangarh to major cities including the State capital Jaipur and the national capital Delhi due to which people of the region are facing significant difficulties in commuting;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government proposes to operate superfast trains in this border region, which would benefit not only the general public but also the security forces deployed along the border; and

(d) if so, the timeline thereof and if not, whether the Government proposes to consider it in the near future?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (d) Sriganganagar is served by 56 regular train services including 40 Mail/Express and 16 Passenger train services, providing connectivity to stations like Delhi, Jaipur, Mumbai, Amritsar, Firozpur, Thiruvananthapuram, H.S. Nanded, Puri, etc. Sriganganagar-Jaipur sector is served by 04 pairs of train services and Sriganganagar-Delhi sector is served by 06 pairs of train services. The trains serving

Sriganganagar are as under:-

SN.	Train No.	Train Name
1	04703	Hanumangarh – Shri Ganganagar Passenger Special
2	04704	Shri Ganganagar – Hanumangarh Passenger Special
3	04773	Shri Ganganagar – Suratgarh Passenger
4	04774	Suratgarh – Shri Ganganagar Passenger Special
5	04779	Shri Ganganagar – Suratgarh Passenger Special
6	04780	Suratgarh – Shri Ganganagar Passenger Special
7	12439	Hazur Sahib Nanded – Shri Ganganagar Express
8	12440	Shri Ganganagar – Hazur Sahib Nanded Express
9	12455	Delhi Sarai Rohilla – Bikaner Superfast
10	12456	Bikaner – Delhi Sarai Rohilla Express
11	12481	Delhi - Shri Ganganagar Express
12	12482	Shri Ganganagar - Delhi Express
13	12485	Nanded – Shri Ganganagar Express
14	12486	Shri Ganganagar – Hazur Sahib Nanded Express
15	12489	Shri Ganganagar – Dadar Express
16	12490	Dadar – Shri Ganganagar Express
17	14029	Shri Ganganagar – Delhi Express
18	14030	Meerut – Shri Ganganagar Special
19	14525	Ambala Cantt – Shri Ganganagar Express
20	14526	Shri Ganganagar – Ambala Cantt Express
21	14527	Bathinda – Shri Ganganagar Express
22	14528	Shri Ganganagar – Bathinda Express
23	14601	Firozpur Cantt – Hanumangarh Express
24	14602	Hanumangarh – Firozpur Cantt Express

25	14701	Shri Ganganagar - Bandra (T) Amrapur Aravali Express
26	14702	Bandra (T) - Shri Ganganagar Amrapura Aravali Express
27	14719	Bikaner – Amritsar Express
28	14720	Amritsar – Bikaner Express
29	14727	Shri Ganganagar – Tilak Bridge Express
30	14728	Tilak Bridge – Shri Ganganagar Express
31	14735	Shri Ganganagar – Ambala Cantt Express
32	14736	Ambala Cantt – Shri Ganganagar Express
33	14815	Shri Ganganagar – Rishikesh Express
34	14816	Rishikesh – Shri Ganganagar Express
35	16311	Shri Ganganagar – Thiruvananthapuram North Express
36	16312	Thiruvananthapuram North – Shri Ganganagar Express
37	20471	Shri Ganganagar – Puri Express
38	20472	Puri – Shri Ganganagar Express
39	22497	Shri Ganganagar – Tiruchchirappalli Humsafar Express
40	22498	Tiruchchirappalli – Shri Ganganagar Humsafar Express
41	22723	Nanded – Shri Ganganagar Weekly Express
42	22724	Shri Ganganagar – Hazur Sahib Nanded Express
43	22981	Kota – Shri Ganganagar Express
44	22982	Shri Ganganagar – Kota Express
45	22997	Jhalawar City – Shri Ganganagar Express
46	22998	Shri Ganganagar – Jhalawar City Express
47	54753	Bathinda – Shri Ganganagar Passenger

48	54754	Shri Ganganagar – Bathinda Passenger
49	54755	Bathinda – Shri Ganganagar Passenger
50	54756	Shri Ganganagar – Bathinda Passenger
51	54759	Hanumangarh – Suratgarh Passenger
52	54760	Suratgarh – Hanumangarh Passenger
53	54761	Hanumangarh – Suratgarh Passenger
54	54762	Suratgarh – Hanumangarh Passenger
55	54763	Sadulpur – Shri Ganganagar Passenger
56	54764	Shri Ganganagar – Sadulpur Passenger

Similarly, Hanumangarh is served by 48 regular train services including 28 Mail/Express and 20 Passenger train services, providing connectivity to stations like Delhi, Jaipur, Mumbai, Jammu, Ahmedabad, Rishikesh, Firozpur, Bhavnagar, Rameswaram, Guwahati, etc. Hanumangarh-Jaipur sector is served by 05 pairs of train services while Hanumangarh-Delhi sector is served by 03 pairs of train services. The trains serving Hanumangarh are as under:-

SN.	Train No.	Train Name
1	04703	Hanumangarh – Shri Ganganagar Passenger Special
2	04704	Shri Ganganagar – Hanumangarh Passenger Special
3	04771	Bathinda – Anupgarh Passenger Special
4	04772	Anupgarh – Bathinda Passenger Special
5	04775	Sadulpur – Hanumangarh Passenger Special
6	04776	Hanumangarh – Sadulpur Passenger Special
7	04777	Sadulpur – Hanumangarh Passenger Special
8	04778	Hanumangarh – Sadulpur Passenger Special
9	12439	Hazur Sahib Nanded – Shri Ganganagar Express

10	12440	Shri Ganganagar – Hazur Sahib Nanded Express
11	14601	Firozpur Cantt – Hanumangarh Express
12	14602	Hanumangarh – Firozpur Cantt Express
13	14701	Shri Ganganagar – Bandra (T) Amrapur Aravali Express
14	14702	Bandra (T) – Shri Ganganagar Amrapur Aravali Express
15	14707	Hanumangarh – Dadar Express
16	14708	Dadar – Hanumangarh Express
17	14721	Jodhpur – Bathinda Express
18	14722	Abohar – Jodhpur Express
19	14727	Shri Ganganagar – Tilak Bridge Express
20	14728	Tilak Bridge – Shri Ganganagar Express
21	14803	Bhagat Ki Kothi – Jammu Tawi Express
22	14804	Jammu Tawi – Bhagat Ki Kothi Express
23	14887	Rishikesh – Barmer Express
24	14888	Barmer – Rishikesh Express
25	15909	Dibrugarh – Lalgarh Avadh Assam Express
26	15910	Lalgarh – Dibrugarh Avadh Assam Express
27	19107	Bhavnagar (T) – Martyr Captain Tushar Mahajan Express
28	19108	Martyr Captain Tushar Mahajan – Bhavnagar (T) Express
29	19223	Sabarmati – Jammu Tawi Express
30	19224	Jammu Tawi – Sabarmati Express
31	20497	Rameswaram – Firozpur Cantt Humsafar Express
32	20498	Firozpur Cantt – Rameswaram Humsafar Express
33	22497	Shri Ganganagar – Tiruchirappalli Humsafar Express

34	22498	Tiruchirappalli – Shri Ganganagar Humsafar Express
35	22981	Kota – Shri Ganganagar Express
36	22982	Shri Ganganagar – Kota Express
37	54701	Bathinda – Lalgah Passenger
38	54702	Lalgah – Abohar Passenger
39	54703	Bathinda – Jaipur Passenger
40	54704	Jaipur – Bathinda Passenger
41	54759	Hanumangarh – Suratgarh Passenger
42	54760	Suratgarh – Hanumangarh Passenger
43	54761	Hanumangarh – Suratgarh Passenger
44	54762	Suratgarh – Hanumangarh Passenger
45	54763	Sadulpur – Shri Ganganagar Passenger
46	54764	Shri Ganganagar – Sadulpur Passenger
47	59719	Suratgarh – Bathinda Passenger
48	59720	Bathinda – Suratgarh Passenger

Besides, introduction of new train services, to enhance connectivity, is an ongoing process on Indian Railways and depends on various factors which include-

- Capacity of that section**
- Availability of path**
- Availability of required rolling stock**
- Availability of matching infrastructure for rolling stock**
- Maintenance requirement of railway tracks and other assets**
