

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5396  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.03.2026**

**STOPPAGE OF LUCKNOW MAIL AT BALAMAU JUNCTION**

**†5396. SHRI ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT:**

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to restore stoppage of Lucknow Mail (Train No.-12229 and 12230) at Balamau Junction keeping in view the hardships being faced by devotees in commuting to and from the said city; and**
- (b) if so, the details and timeline thereof?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

**(a) and (b) Balamau station is presently served by 34 train services providing direct connectivity to destinations like Delhi, Lucknow, Jammu Tawi, Kolkata, Prayagraj, Varanasi etc. The list of trains serving Balamau is as under:-**

<b>SN</b>	<b>Train no. &amp; name</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>12469 Kanpur Central-Jammu Tawi Express</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>12470 Jammu Tawi-Kanpur Central Express</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>13005 Howrah-Amritsar Express</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>13006 Amritsar-Howrah Express</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>13009 Howrah-Yog Nagari Rishikesh Express</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>13010 Yog Nagari Rishikesh-Howrah Express</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>13151 Kolkata-Jammu Tawi Express</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>13152 Jammu Tawi-Kolkata Express</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>13307 Dhanbad-Firozpur Cantt Express</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>13308 Firozpur Cantt-Dhanbad Express</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>14235 Varanasi-Bareilly Express</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>14236 Bareilly-Varanasi Express</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14241 Prayagraj Sangam-Saharanpur Express</b>

14	14242 Saharanpur-Prayagraj Sangam Express
15	15119 Banaras-Dehradun Express
16	15120 Dehradun-Banaras Express
17	15127 Banaras-New Delhi Express
18	15128 New Delhi-Banaras Express
19	15909 Dibrugarh-Lalgarh Express
20	15910 Lalgarh-Dibrugarh Express
21	22453 Lucknow-Meerut City Express
22	22454 Meerut City-Lucknow Express
23	54321 Balamau-Sitapur Passenger
24	54322 Sitapur-Balamau Passenger
25	54325 Sitapur City-Kanpur Central Passenger
26	54326 Kanpur Central-Sitapur City Passenger
27	54329 Balamau-Shahjahanpur Passenger
28	54330 Shahjahanpur-Balamau Passenger
29	54331 Lucknow-Balamau Passenger
30	54332 Balamau-Lucknow Passenger
31	54335 Balamau-Kanpur Central Passenger
32	54336 Kanpur Central-Balamau Passenger
33	54337 Lucknow-Shahjahanpur Passenger
34	54338 Shahjahanpur-Lucknow Passenger

The above includes 02 pairs of daily trains catering to the needs of the Balamau-Delhi sector while 12 pairs of trains are catering the Balamau-Lucknow sector. These are listed below:-

#### Trains serving Balamau-Delhi sector

SN	Train no. & name
1	15909/15910 Dibrugarh-Lalgarh Express
2	15127/15128 Banaras-New Delhi Express

#### Trains serving Balamau-Lucknow sector

SN	Train no. & name
1	13005/13006 Howrah-Amritsar Express
2	13009/13010 Howrah-Yog Nagari Rishikesh Express
3	13151/13152 Kolkata -Jammu Tawi Express
4	13307/13308 Dhanbad-Firozpur Cantt Express
5	14235/14236 Varanasi-Bareilly Express
6	14241/14242 Prayagraj Sangam-Saharanpur Express

<b>7</b>	<b>15119/15120 Banaras-Dehradun Express</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>15127/15128 Banaras-New Delhi Express</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>15909/15910 Dibrugarh-Lalgarh Express</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>22453/22454 Lucknow-Meerut City Express</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>54331/54332 Lucknow-Balamau Passenger</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>54337/54338 Lucknow-Shahjahanpur Passenger</b>

**Besides, provision of stoppages of train services, which is an on-going process, depends on the traffic justification, operational feasibility including availability of extra time on the section & availability of matching infrastructure such as Platform length etc.**

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