GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3342 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2015

TRAINS BETWEEN VASCO DA GAMA AND MUMBAI

3342. ADV. NARENDRA KESHAV SAWAIKAR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any passenger train is plying between Vasco Da Gama and Mumbai at present;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, whether any proposal is under consideration of the Railways for running the trains between Vasco Da Gama and Mumbai *via* Miraj;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the time by which the trains are likely to be made operational?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (e) Presently, 12741/12742 Vasco-da-Gama- Patna Express (weekly) is available via Panvel & Kalyan Junction. However, at present, there is no proposal to introduce any new train between Vasco-da-Gama and Mumbai via Miraj, due to operational and resource constraints.

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