

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 958
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.07.2015**

UPGRADATION OF COACHES

958. SHRI PRATHAP SIMHA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Railways propose to improve the condition of railway coaches and if so, the details of steps taken/being taken to improve the sleeper class coaches, AC-I, AC-II and AC-III coaches etc.;**
- (b) the time by which the improvements/upgradation of coaches is likely to be made;**
- (c) the trains which would be taken up on priority basis in Karnataka to improve the condition of railway coaches;**
- (d) whether trains going to international tourist destination like Mysore and Goa are getting urgent attention; and**
- (e) if so, the time by which these are likely to be upgraded?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a): Improving the conditions of the railway coaches is a continuous process. Condition of the coaches including that of Sleeper, AC-I, AC-II and AC-III is being improved upon through

maintenance in coaching depots and workshops during their scheduled maintenance.

(b): Improvement/upgradation of the coaches is a continuous process.

(c): All the passenger train coaches including those in Karnataka are being given equal importance and attended for improvement during their scheduled maintenance as and when these are due.

(d): Coaches in trains including those going to international tourist destinations like Mysore and Goa are being attended as when these are due for scheduled maintenance.

(e): Does not arise.
