

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1940
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.03.2016**

NEW TRAIN FROM KUTCH IN GUJARAT TO MUMBAI

**†1940. SHRI VINOD LAKHAMASHI CHAVDA:
SHRI PARESH RAVAL:
SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN:**

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to introduce a train from Kutch in Gujarat to Mumbai; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)**

(a)&(b) No, Madam. Presently, adequate number of train services are available from Bhuj/ Gandhidham (Kutch) in Gujarat to Mumbai area. Further, Introduction of a new train service from Kutch in Gujarat to Mumbai is not feasible, at present, due to operational and resource constraints which includes inadequate terminal/ maintenance facilities on major terminal stations of Kutch region viz. Bhuj/ Gandhidham and Mumbai.
