

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1647
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.05.2016**

TOUR PACKAGES FOR GATIMAAN EXPRESS TRAVELLERS

1647. SHRI P. NAGARAJAN:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) has planned two comprehensive Agra tour packages for those travelling in Gatimaan Express;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) the time by which the tour packages are proposed to be implemented;**
- (d) whether such tour packages are proposed to be planned for other tourists destinations/cities across the country; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (c): Yes, Madam. Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation has started operating two different tour packages for those travelling in Gatimaan Express. The one day comprehensive package offers visit to Agra Fort and Taj Mahal in AC vehicle, food at hotel, guide etc. The two days / one night comprehensive package offers visit to Agra Fort, Itmad-ud-Daula's tomb, Mehtab Bagh, Taj Mahal, Fatehpur Sikri and Sikandra in AC Vehicle, food, accommodation at hotel, guide etc.

(d) & (e): The introduction of similar packages is an ongoing process, subject to the response of passengers.
