

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1664
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.05.2016**

NEW TRAIN FROM RANCHI TO VELLORE

†1664. SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether he had announced to introduce an Express Train from Ranchi to Vellore *via* Katpadi during his Ranchi tour;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) the action so far taken by the Railways in this regard?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (c) Yes, Madam. As announced, a weekly train service has been proposed between Hatia and Ernakulam via Katpadi, which is about 10 kms from Vellore Cantt. The train is likely to be introduced after availability of rolling stock.
