GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 653 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.04.2016

STOPPAGE OF TRAINS AT DAHOD

†653. SHRI JASVANTSINH SUMANBHAI BHABHOR:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether in view of the persons of Ratlam and Badodara employed in railway workshop in Dahod district and located at a distance of 115 km. and 146 km. respectively from Dahod, proposals for providing stoppage of Okha-Gorakhpur, Surat-Mujaffarpur, Bandra-Haridwar, Ajmer-Ernakulam, Gandhidham-Howrah, Bandra-Kanpur, Valsad-Haridwar and Bhuj-Shalimar train services passing through Dahod is likely to be provided at this station in Gujarat;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the details of the action taken by the Government thereon and the outcome thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) No, Madam. Dahod station is presently being served by 33 pair of Mail/Express trains and 07 pair of Passenger trains which are considered adequate for the present level of traffic.

There is no proposal to provide stoppage of additional trains at Dahod as the stoppage is neither operationally feasible nor commercially justified, at present.
