

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1677
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.07.2016**

STOPPAGE AT SITAPUR, BISWAH

†1677. SHRI RAJESH VERMA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide stoppage of Patna bound express trains originating from Delhi-New Delhi and running via Muradabad-Bareilly-Shahjehanpur-Sitapur-Biswah-Mehmudabad at Sitapur, Biswah, Mehmudabad stations;**
- (b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be done; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) to (c) At present, there is no proposal to provide stoppage of Patna/Hajipur bound express trains originating from Delhi/New Delhi and running via Moradabad-Bareilly-Shahjahanpur-Sitapur-Biswan-Mahmudabad (Avadh) at Sitapur, Biswan, Mahmudabad (Avadh) stations due to operational and resource constraints. However, provision of stoppage of trains is an ongoing exercise over Indian Railways and is done keeping in view the traffic justification, operational feasibility, commercial viability, availability of alternative services etc.
