

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2823
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.08.2025**

PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP IN RAILWAYS

2823. SMT. RACHNA BANERJEE:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the current status of Public-Private Partnership (PPP) models in railways including the number of projects awarded, their progress and the impact on infrastructure development and service delivery;**
- (b) the details of the Government's long-term vision for private sector involvement in railway operations; and**
- (c) the details of safeguards put in place to ensure public interest and affordability?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)**

(a) to (c): Ministry of Railways under various schemes of Public Private Partnership (PPP) attract investment in various areas viz. network expansion, setting up of locomotive factories, induction of railway wagons, station development, building freight terminals, etc. from the stake holders and strategic investors.

So far, 18 projects have been completed through PPP model and 7 projects are under implementation including coal connectivity and port connectivity projects.

The Gati Shakti Cargo Terminals (GCTs) are also being developed by industry participants. So far, 112 GCTs have been commissioned.

Besides above, with the participation of industry, Electric Locomotive Factory/Madhepura and Diesel Locomotive Factory/Marhowra were established for locomotive production.
