

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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IMPLEMENTATION OF ANTI-COLLISION DEVICE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

The action taken to upgrade safety-related training facilities in Railways and implementation of anti collision device on major Railways for customer satisfaction.

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

All staff, including safety category staff, is properly trained before utilization of newly acquired technological aids is adopted. The Railways are in the continuous process of modifying and refreshing the training of railway staff to update their knowledge and skill. A comprehensive training need analysis of all categories of staff is being done through series of meetings. Based on the analysis, training modules are revised to suit the training requirement of individual staff besides changes in technology, work practices and objectives of the job.

All Major training centres are being provided with funds under SRSF for providing training aids, models, teaching kits, etc. In order to attract able and talented instructors, incentive in the form of 'Training Allowance' is granted and they are permitted to retain quarters at their previous place of posting for a period of two years.

A separate unit is being set up for training techniques and instructional designs at Gwalior which will be entrusted the job of development of lesson plans, training modules, etc.

Provision of Anti Collision Device (ACD) on about 1800 Route Kilometers of Broad Gauge Section of Northeast Frontier Railways in progress and shall be completed in the year 2004-05. Further works of provision on about 1750 Route Kilometers has also been sanctioned on Northern, Southern, South Central and South Western Railways. ACD survey works on Northern and South Central Railways has been completed and on Southern and South Western Railway, it is in progress. The work of provision of ACD shall be taken in hand on these sections after successful implementation of ACD on Northeast Frontier Railway. Works of ACD survey on additional 10000 Route Kilometers has further been sanctioned during the current year.