

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7071
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RESERVATION QUOTA FOR GAYA STATION
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the reservation quota fixed for Gaya railway station, Train/Category-wise;
- (b) whether the Government are aware that this quota does not fulfill the requirement of the people; and
- (c) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a) to (d): A statement is attached.

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) to (c) of Unstarred Question No. 7071 by Shri Ramjee Manjhi, to be answered in Lok Sabha on 11.05.2000 regarding reservation quota for Gaya Station.

(a): After introduction of new reservation policy, Gaya Station has been given access to the entire reservation quota available at the train originating station on first come first served basis by the following trains passing Gaya:

1. 2311 Howrah-Kalka Mail.
2. 3009 Howrah-Dehradun Express.
3. 3307 Dhanbad-Firozpur Ganga-Satluj Express.
4. 3003 Howrah-Mumbai Mail.
5. 3151 Sealdah-Jammu Tawi Express.
6. 1159 Howrah-Gwalior Chambal Express.
7. 1181 Howrah-Agra Chambal Express.
8. 9306 Howrah-Indore Shipra Express.
9. 3348 Patna-Barkakana Palamau Express.
10. 2312 Kalka-Howrah Mail.
11. 2802 New Delhi- Puri Purusottom Express.
12. 2308 Jodhpur-Howrah Express.
13. 8623 Patna-Hatia Express.
14. 3330 Patna-Dhanbad Ganga Damodar Express.

In addition specific quotas are also available at Gaya in the following trains:

Train Number and Name of train Quota for different classes

AC 2-tier I Class AC 3-tier Sleeper Class

8475	Puri-New Delhi Neelanchal Express	2	-	2	67
2815	Puri-New Delhi Express	2	-	2	73
8605	Hatia-Delhi Jharkhand Swarnajayanti Exprss	4	-	-	26
1452	Gaya-Nagpur Dikshabhumi Express	-	-	54	327

Train Number and Name of train Quota for different classes

AC 2-tier I Class AC 3-tier Sleeper Class

2301	Howrah-New Delhi Rajdhani Express	2	-	4	-
2302	New Delhi-Howrah Rajdhani Express	2	-	4	-
2421	Bhubaneswar-New Delhi Rajdhani Express	2	-	4	-
2422	New Delhi - Bhubaneswar Rajdhani Express	2	-	4	-
2382	New Delhi-Howrah Poorva Express	-	-	-	72
8476	New Delhi-Puri Neelanchal Express	2	-	4	72
2816	New Delhi-Puri Express	2	-	4	72
3010	Dehradun-Howrah Doon Express	-	5	-	144
1182	Agra-Howrah Chambal Express	-	-	-	72
9305	Indore-Howrah Shipra Express	-	-	-	52

(b) & (c): By and large, these quotas has been able to meet the requirement of passengers intending to board from Gaya except in peak seasons when demands are heavy at almost all stations. Moreover, since the trains in which specific reservation quotas are earmarked are well patronised trains and the quotas allotted to various stations are being fully utilised, it is not feasible to enhance these quotas at present.