

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2308  
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PASSENGER TRAINS  
SAVSHIBHAI MAKWANA

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the total number of passenger trains being run in the country;
- (b) the total number out of those trains running on western railways;
- (c) whether there is any proposal to provide a passenger train from Hapa to Bandra to meet the long outstanding demand of the people;
- (d) the time by which this train will be ready; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor ?

**Answer**

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

- (a) & (b) The average number of Passenger trains run daily on Indian Railways during 2001-02 is 8702 and the corresponding figure for Western Railways is 1640.
- (c) No, Sir. Not at present.
- (d) Does not arise.
- (e) Operational and resource constraints.