

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3342  
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SUBURBAN TRAIN FACILITIES IN KARNATAKA  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the steps have so far been taken by the Government to upgrade the suburban train facilities in Karnataka; and
- (b) the achievements made so far?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b) : At present, there is no suburban train service in Karnataka. However, for developing a modern inter-modal transport system in Bangalore, a survey for developing a commuter railway system has been conducted by M/s RITES on the request of Ministry of Urban Development. Examination of the modalities for development and implementation of this project has since been taken up.