

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1771
ANSWERED ON:08.03.2001
DERAILMENT OF GOODS TRAIN
PRABHUNATH SINGH

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a goods train derailed near Anwala railway station in Bareilly recently;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the total loss of lives and value of Government property damaged therein;
- (d) whether any enquiry has been conducted by the Government in this regard; and
- (e) if so, the outcome thereof and the action taken thereon?

Answer

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

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1771 ASKED BY SH PRABHUNATH SINGH TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 08.03.2001 REGARDING DERAILMENT OF GOODS TRAIN

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. On 17.02.2001 at 00.10 hours Bhul-Aonla PPOL Special Up goods train derailed and subsequently caught fire at Aonla station on Chandausi-Bareilly section of Moradabad Division of Northern Railway.

(c): In this accident Driver and Diesel Assistant of the train lost their lives. The value of Government property damaged is estimated as Rs.2.36 crores approximately.

(d) & (e): This accident is being inquired into by the Commissioner of Railway Safety, Northern Circle and final report is awaited.