

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2438
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CONTAINER CORPORATION OF INDIA
TUFANI SAROJ

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Container Corporation of India proposes to increase the number of domestic container depots;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of its depots presently in operation;
- (d) whether CONCOR is contemplating any scheme of linking the prominent cities of North India with Kolkata Dock system;
- (e) if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) the details of its present transaction and turnover?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BASANAGOUDA R. PATIL)

(a) : Yes, Sir.

(b) : Container Corporation of India Ltd.(CONCOR) is planning to set up rail-linked container terminals at following locations: Agra, Dhappar (Chandigarh), Raipur, Bhopal, Gandhidham (Kandla), Ankleshwar, Belgaon, Visakhapatnam, Kota, Kolkata Port Trust area (KoPT), Vapi (Gujarat) and Shambhupura (Rajasthan).

(c) : Thirty-two (32).

(d) & (e) : Regular train services are running between Tughlakabad (Delhi) and Cossipore Road (Kolkata).

(f) : During the year 2002-03, containers handled and financial turnover of CONCOR at Cossipore Road (Kolkata) was 24793 Twenty feet Equivalent Units (TEUs) with the turnover of Rupees 21.47 crores.