

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3924
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TRAVELLING OF PSO WITH MINISTER IN TRAINS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the PSOs accompanying Centre/State level Minister on official tours are allowed to travel in chair-car in Rajdhani Express but in other trains allowed to travel in sleeper class;
- (b) if so, facts thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to allow the PSOs attached to the Ministers to travel in the same class; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a) to (d): In all trains including Rajdhani Express, the PSOs accompanying Centre/State level Ministers on official tours are authorized to travel as per their entitlement based on their basic pay scales.