

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:125
ANSWERED ON:01.12.2005
INCIDENTS OF CRIMES IN TRAINS/ RAILWAY PREMISES
Gohain Shri Rajen;Singh Shri Prabhunath

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the incidents of crimes in trains and in railway premises / stations have increased considerably during the recent year;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has made any study / survey to check connivance of Government Railway Police (GRP) in such crimes;
- (c) if so, the details and the outcome thereof;
- (d) the number of cases reported during 2005, till date and the action taken in respect of those cases;
- (e) the number of passengers who fell victim to such crimes alongwith the number of persons killed / injured in such incidents;
- (f) the details of compensation and assistance provided to the victims by the Union Government and the State Government during the above period; and
- (g) the measures being taken / to be taken to put a check on the incidents of crime in trains and in railway premises / stations?

Answer

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI LALU PRASAD)

(a) to (g): A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (g) OF STARRED QUESTION NO.125 BY SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN AND SHRI PRABHUNATH SINGH TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 1.12.2005 REGARDING INCIDENTS OF CRIME IN TRAINS / RAILWAY PREMISES.

(a): No, Sir.

(b): No, Sir.

(c): Does not arise.

(d): 3 cases have been reported involving 10 Government Railway Police personnel in 2005. All of them have been placed under suspension in addition to registration of cases against them.

(e): A total of 14 passengers were victimised. Out of these, one was injured who had later died in the hospital.

(f): No compensation has been paid by the railways.

(g): Regular coordination meetings are held between the Railways and the State authorities. Cases involving the Government Railway Police personnel are followed up and pursued with the State Governments who are the competent authority in such cases.