

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:302  
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WAGON BUILDING FACTORY IN KERALA  
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Railways propose to set up a wagon building factory in Kerala;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be set up?

**Answer**

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

(a) No, Sir.

(b) & (c) Do not arise. Only a few Railway wagons are built departmentally; most such Rolling Stock is built in units in Private and Public Sector. At the moment sufficient capacity to meet Indian Railway requirement is available in existing wagon manufacturing units in the country.