

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RAILWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:240  
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INCIDENTS OF FIRE IN RAILWAY COACHES  
Mistry Shri Madhusudan Devram

**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

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- (a) the details of the incidents of fire in Railway coaches while running/standing at station yards during each of the last two years, till date, incident-wise and zone-wise;
- (b) the loss suffered by the railways in these fire incidents, incident-wise;
- (c) the details of inquiry ordered, their outcome and the action taken on inquiry report, incident-wise;
- (d) the number of persons booked for sabotage activities in these incidents along with the number of members of railway staff and RPF booked for negligence in these fire incidents, incident-wise;
- (e) the time by which the investigation is likely to be completed in all these fire incidents in which the investigation has not been completed so far; and
- (f) the measures taken to check the recurrence of such fire incidents?

**Answer**

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

- (a) to (f): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.