

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:264
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PITLINE FACILITY IN KOLLAM RAILWAY STATION
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has examined the need of providing pitline facility in Kollam Railway Station in view of scarcity of space in Thiruvananthapuram Central Railway Station; and

(b) if so, action taken to construct pitline in Kollam Railway Junction?

Answer

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

(a)& (b) There is no proposal for Broad Gauge (BG) pitline at Kollam Railway Station . In view of scarcity of space in Thiruvananthapuram depot for maintenance, facility is being planned at Kochuveli.