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Title: Need to increase the number of trains on Sealdah-Laxmikantapur-Namkhana, Sealdah-Diamond Harbour and Sealdah-Canning lines and expedite the double lining of railway lines in Sealdah South section of Eastern Railways.

DR. TARUN MANDAL (JAYNAGAR): Local train services in the Sealdah South Section of Eastern Railway under Sealdah Division is the main mode of public transport due to lack of Roadways and public bus services, for the commuters of underdeveloped South 24 Parganas district which includes my constituency, Jaynagar. I would, therefore, urge upon the Railway Ministry to expedite the works of double lining and extension of promised railway tracks to realise the expectations of the citizens of these regions. Frequency of local trains particularly at Sealdah – Laxmikantapur - Namkhana line, Sealdah-Diamond Harbour line and Sealdah - Canning line needs to be increased without delay to reduce the miseries of daily train passengers.

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