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Title: Need to extend the rail route from Jaijon- Jalandhar to Amritsar via Nawashaher, Jalandhar.

SHRI PREM SINGH CHANDUMAJRA (ANANDPUR SAHIB): DOABA region of Punjab is a very famous area known and Non-resident Indians region and also a historical and tourist place. Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar district of this area has no direct rail connections with Amritsar. The train which passes through Jalandhar to Jailon via Nawashaher of Khatkal Kalan native village of Shaheed Bhagat Singh should be extended from Jaijon-Jalandhar to Amritsar. Former Railway Minister Shri Suresh Prabhujji had publically announced in Shaheedi Conference at Khatkal Kalan that within three months the requisite train would be extended. Three years have passed but the promise of the then Cabinet Minister has not yet been fulfilled. It is the lifeline of my constituency. If the demand of people falling in my constituency is acceded to, it would be beneficial to a large number of local people.

I urge upon the Government of India to extend this rail route from Jaijon- Jalandhar to Amritsar via Nawashaher, Jalandhar.

