

Enquiry regarding accident of Island Express near Quilon

1817. SHRI THOMAS KUTHIRAVATTOM: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether an enquiry was conducted into the Island Express tragedy at Perumon near Quilon in Kerala under Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism;

(b) if so, whether the report is ready; and by when it is likely to be published; and

(c) if already published what are the findings of the inquiry?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI SHIVRAJ PATIL) : (a) Yes, Sir. The enquiry was conducted by the Commission of Railway Safety under the administrative control of the Ministry of Civil Aviation and Tourism.

(b) and (c) The report submitted by the Commission of Railway Safety is presently under consideration of the Government. The decision to publish the report will be taken thereafter.

Railway stations with largest income

1818. SHRI THOMAS KUTHIRAVATTOM: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the railway stations which have earned largest amount of income under various categories of stations; and

(b) what are the details of development works and funds sanctioned to these stations after 1988?

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THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) and (b) Information regarding income earned is not maintained station-wise.

Complaint against Indian citizens living abroad involved in criminal offences

1819. SHRI THOMAS KUTHIRAVATTOM : Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of the complaints regarding Indian citizens involved in the criminal offences received from foreign countries during the last two years;

(b) what are the names of the countries from which the maximum number of complaints came; and

(c) whether any Indian citizens were repatriated to foreign countries for trials and if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K. NATWAR SINGH) : (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Trains between Secunderabad and Guntur

1820. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) what is the number of trains running between Secunderabad and Guntur Via Bibinagar, Nalgonda, Miryalaguda;

(b) whether these trains are enough for the people of Nalgonda, Miryalaguda and Bibinagar;