

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN  
THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

**Setting up of a Regional Office of the  
Northeast Frontier Railway Service  
Commission**

39. SHRI AHMED HOSSAIN  
MONDAL:

SHRIMATI PRATIMA BOSE:  
SHRI JAHARLAL BANER-

JEE:

SHRI PRASENJIT BARMAN:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS  
be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have re-  
cently received any representation  
for the setting up of a Regional Office  
of the Northeast Frontier Railway  
Service Commission at Siliguri or  
Alipurduar Junction in West Bengal;  
and

(b) if so, what decision Govern-  
ment have taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN  
THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

**Expansion of the Coimbatore Rail-  
way Station**

40. SHRI U. R. KRISHNAN: Will  
the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleas-  
ed to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal  
under Government's consideration for  
the expansion of the Coimbatore Rail-  
way Station in Tamil Nadu; and

(b) if so, what are the details  
thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN  
THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) and (b)  
A proposal is under consideration for  
providing a new double storeyed  
building in lieu of the existing single  
storeyed building. New building is  
proposed to be so laid out as to im-  
prove the circulating area and will be

given a modern and appealing facade  
consistent with the importance of the  
Coimbatore Station. The building  
will provide for a second class wait-  
ing hall, upper class reservation-  
cum-enquiry office cloak room, parcel  
office, R.T.O's and R.M.S. office etc.

**Lending Libraries**

41 SHRI U. R. KRISHNAN: Will  
the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleas-  
ed to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal  
under Government's consideration to  
introduce more lending libraries in  
the running trains of the various  
Zonal Railways in addition to the  
existing ones; and

(b) if so, what are the details  
thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN  
THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) and (b)  
There is no proposal at present to  
provide mobile lending libraries-  
cum-bookstalls on trains other than  
the 16 trains on which this facility  
exists.

**Discontinuance of Publication of the  
All India Railway Time Table**

42. SHRI M. KADERSHAH: Will  
the Minister of RAILWAYS be  
pleased to state:

(a) what are the reasons for dis-  
continuing the publication of All  
India Railway Time Table; and

(b) whether Government propose  
to resume the publication of the  
Time Table?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN  
THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(SHRI SHEO NARAIN): (a) For the  
facility and convenience of long-dis-  
tance passengers who travel by multi-  
zonal trains, a new edition of All  
India Railway Time Table, showing  
abstract timings of Mail/Express  
trains in trainwise/routwise tables, in  
place of the previous Time-Table,  
which was a collection of timings por-