244	Written Answers to		[RAJYA SABHA]			Unstarred Questions		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
26.	Tamil Nadu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27.	Telangana	344	0	0	35	174	135	0
28.	Tripura	2399	0	0	2399	0	0	0
29.	Uttar Pradesh	1203	119	650	346	79	9	0
30.	Uttarakhand	9	0	0	7	0	2	0
31.	West Bengal	14712	1359	7544	5126	428	0	255
	Total	58034	8526	13972	18588	13342	1445	2161

Source: IMIS, Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation.

Demand of TTEs to the Ministry

3909. SHRI PRABHAKAR REDDY VEMIREDDY: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Train Ticket Examiners (TTEs) in the country, zone-wise;
- (b) the details of each of the demand of the TTEs submitted to the Ministry;
- (c) the reasons for not-considering TTEs as 'running staff';
- (d) whether it is a fact that 100 MPs including some of the Union Ministers, have petitioned the Ministry to fulfil the demands of TTEs; and
 - (e) if so, the action taken by the Ministry on the petition?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL): (a) The zone-wise details of number of Train Ticket Examiners (TTEs) is as under:—

Zonal Railway	On Roll
Central	3426
East Coast	1038
East Central	2099
Eastern	1792

Zonal Railway	On Roll
North Central	2306
North Eastern	1083
North East Frontier	1059
Northern	3311
North Western	1442
South Central	2496
South East Central	884
South Eastern	1207
Southern	3121
South Western	908
West Central	1304
Western	2361
Total	29837

(b) to (e) During the National Ticket Checking Meet organized by IRTCSO (Indian Railway Ticket Checking Staff Organization) held on 05.09.2018 at Talkatora Stadium, New Delhi, the demand for considering Ticket Checking staff as Running staff was raised. This demand has also been raised by around 100 Hon'ble Members of Parliament. A committee has been constituted to examine the demand for consideration of Ticket Checking staff as Running staff. Further, instructions were issued to all Zonal Railways for provision of facilities in TTE rest house at par with that of running rooms of guards/loco pilots.

Investment in Railways

3910. SHRIMATI VIJILA SATHYANANTH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government is considering to invest ₹50 lakh crore in Railways by the year 2030;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof;