

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO.183
ANSWERED ON 12.03.2021

INSTALLATION OF CCTV CAMERAS IN TRAINS

183. SHRI SYED ZAFAR ISLAM:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has taken steps to install CCTV cameras in all the train coaches including EMUs, especially in short distance trains and passenger trains in order to enhance safety and security of the passengers;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, train-wise and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether Government has identified the areas and the routes from which constant complaints are received, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMERCE & INDUSTRY AND
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. 183 BY SHRI SYED ZAFAR ISLAM ANSWERED IN RAJYA SABHA ON 12.03.2021 REGARDING INSTALLATION OF CCTV CAMERAS IN TRAINS

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. Ministry of Railways have taken steps to install Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) Camera in all train coaches including EMUs and passenger trains.

CCTV Cameras have already been provided in 2931 coaches and Indian Railways will endeavour to gradually provide in more coaches in order to enhance safety and security of the passengers. The train type wise and Zonal Railway wise details are appended.

(c) & (d) Policing on Railways being a State subject, prevention of crime, registration of cases, their investigation and maintenance of law & order in Railway premises as well as on running trains are the statutory responsibility of the State Governments, which they discharge through Government Railway Police (GRP)/District Police. Cases of Indian Penal Code (IPC) crimes are registered and investigated by the concerned Government Railway Police.

The areas and routes prone to crime related to passengers are dynamic in nature and keep on changing. Based on regular analysis, such vulnerable areas/routes are identified and effective preventive measures are taken to control crime over such spots. Further, State Level Security Committee of Railways (SLSCR) have been constituted for all State/Union Territories under the Chairmanship of respective Director General of Police/Commissioner of States/Union Territories for regular monitoring and review of security arrangements of the Railways.

APPENDIX REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. 183 BY SHRI SYED ZAFAR ISLAM ANSWERED IN RAJYA SABHA ON 12.03.2021 REGARDING INSTALLATION OF CCTV CAMERAS IN TRAINS

(a) & (b): List of CCTV Cameras installed at Coaches is as follows:-

Zonal Railways	Number of Coaches fitted with CCTV cameras							
	Train-18 type	LHB	ICF	MEMU	EMU	DEMU / DMU	Others	Total
	(I)	(II)	(III)	(IV)	(V)	(VI)	(VII)	(I)+(II)+(III)+(IV)+(V)+(VI)+(VII)
Central Railway	0	42	0	32	215	18	0	307
East Coast Railway	0	276	1	0	0	0	11	288
East Central Railway	0	18	0	0	0	14	1	33
Eastern Railway	0	110	0	0	28	0	0	138
North Central Railway	0	77	0	0	0	0	0	77
North Eastern Railway	0	57	1	8	0	16	0	82
Northeast Frontier Railway	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	62
Northern Railway	32	324	1	0	0	0	0	357
North Western Railway	0	97	0	0	0	0	0	97
South Central Railway	0	169	0	40	40	5	0	254
South East Central Railway	0	22	0	72	0	2	0	96
South Eastern Railway	0	113	0	0	62	0	0	175

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Southern Railway	0	117	9	72	81	0	0	279
South Western Railway	0	224	0	0	0	0	0	224
West Central Railway	0	38	0	0	0	0	2	40
Western Railway	0	374	0	0	0	0	10	384
Konkan Railway	0	36	0	0	0	2	0	38
Total	32	2156	12	224	426	57	24	2931

- (I) LHB - Link Hofmann Busch
 (II) ICF - Integral Coach Factory
 (III) MEMU - Mainline Electric Multiple Unit
 (IV) EMU - Electric Multiple Unit
 (V) DEMU - Diesel Electric Multiple Unit
