

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA
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INSTALLATION OF BABY BERTHS IN TRAINS

1400 # DR. SUMER SINGH SOLANKI:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is considering to install baby berth seats in train coaches;
- (b) if so, by when it will be implemented; and
- (c) if not, whether there is any such proposal in future?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND
ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c): Modification and upgradation in passenger coaches is a continuous process over Indian Railway.

To facilitate ease of travel for mothers travelling with their babies, two baby berths were provided as attachment to two lower berths in one coach of Train No. 12229/30 Lucknow Mail on trial basis.

Initial passenger feedback appreciated the effort. However, inter-alia issues of restricted luggage space below the seat and reduced knee space between the seats causing inconvenience to passengers have been observed.
