

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1390
ANSWERED ON 06.12.2024

TRAIN SERVICE BETWEEN PURI TO BADAMPAHAR

1390 SMT. MAMATA MOHANTA:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is fact that there is no train service available at night time from Puri to Badampahar via Tata Nagar in Odisha ;
- (b) whether Government has received such proposal from East Coast Railways in this regard; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof, if not, whether Government will consider the same?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

(a) to (c) Presently, Puri-Tatanagar sector is being served by 3 pairs of trains while Tatanagar-Badampahar sector is being served by 6 pairs of train services. 18477 Puri-Yog Nagari Rishikesh Utkal Express and 12801 Puri-New Delhi Purushottam Express depart from Puri at 20.45 hrs and 21.55 hrs and arrive Tatanagar at 05.37 hrs and 06.17 hrs, respectively. Further, from Tatanagar suitable connections are available for Badampahar. Besides, introduction of train services is an ongoing process on Indian Railways, subject to operational feasibility, commercial viability, availability of resources, etc.
