

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF STEEL

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2052**  
FOR ANSWER ON 10/07/2019

**IMPORT OF STEEL FOR RAILWAYS**

2052. SHRI RITABRATA BANERJEE:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the way in which domestic steel sector is able to fulfill the needs of the railways;
- (b) whether steel is imported for railways in India and if so, the details of countries of import thereof; and
- (c) if not, whether there are plans to liberalise this market?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a)to(c): Domestic steel sector which includes Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) is able to meet the steel requirements of Indian Railways. No steel is imported for Railways.

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