

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:990  
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STANDARD BENCH MARK FOR AIRPORTS  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the standard bench-mark set by IATA for major Asian airports is a minimum 3.5 out of total 5;
- (b) whether major airports all over the World score over 4 out of 5 as standard bench-mark;
- (c) if so, whether the Government of India has set a minimum 3 out of 5 as standard bench-mark for its Bangalore International Airport Project; and
- (d) if so, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION ( SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY )

- (a) and (b) :- As per IATA Airport Monitoring Survey, average Bench Mark for Asian airports is 3.5 and world average is 3.7 in a scale of 5.
- (c) & (d) :- Government of India has not finalised standard benchmark for the Bangalore International Airport Project (BIAL).