

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2344
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MODERNISATION AND EXPANSION OF AIRPORTS
RAJESH RANJAN (PAPPU YADAV)

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the airports where modernisation and expansion work has been carried out during each of the last three years;
- (b) the expenditure incurred thereon;
- (c) whether the Government propose to undertake modernisation and expansion work of some more airports; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a):- The airports where modernisation and expansion work have been carried out during each of the last three years are -

International Airports - Ahmedabad, Bangalore, Calcutta, Chennai, Cochin, Delhi, Goa, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Mumbai and Trivandrum.

Domestic Airports - Agartala, Bhubaneswar, Bhuntar, Calicut, Coimbatore, Dibrugarh, Dimapur, Imphal, Indore, Jabalpur, Jaipur, Jodhpur, Lucknow, Ludhiana, Madurai, Mangalore, Nagpur, Patna, Rajkot, Silchar, Tirupati, Udaipur, Vadodara, Varanasi, Vijayawada and Vishakapatnam.

(b):- The expenditure incurred during the last three years towards modernisation and expansion of the airports is Rs. 338.54 crores in 1997-98, Rs. 319.87 crores in 1998-99 and Rs. 36.63 crores in 1999-2000.

(c) and (d):- Yes, Sir. Expansion and modernisation of the various infrastructural facilities at various airports is a continuous process and is undertaken periodically depending on requirements and availability of resources. In addition to the on going projects, airports identified for modernisation and expansion purpose are Amritsar, Bagdogra, Behrampur, Bhopal, Bhuj, Jammu, Jorhat, Kargil, Khajuraho, Leh, Porbandar, Port Blair, Srinagar and Tezpur.