

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1209  
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PROJECT ON GLOBAL NAVIGATION SATELLITE SYSTEM  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether it is a fact that Federal Aviation Authority of USA, Airports Authority of India and Directorate General of Civil Aviation are jointly working at a project to certify India's Global Navigation Satellite System for the air traffic control;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the time by which this system is likely to be introduced in India; and
- (d) the other benefits of this system?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION ( SHRI PRAFUL PATEL )

- (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Airports Authority of India (AAI) in consultation with Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) is in the process of introducing Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) which is under discussion with Federal Aviation Authority of USA and Directorate General of Civil Aviation.
- (c) December, 2010.
- (d) The system would provide seamless navigation through out Indian airspace and oceanic region as well.