

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

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RETIRING ROOMS FOR VIPS .  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether retiring rooms for VIPs and others have been constructed in some of the major airports in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that these rooms at Mumbai airport have been converted into the officers' rooms by the Joint Venture Company;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto; and
- (e) the alternative arrangements proposed to be provided for the VIPs and others who have to transit via Mumbai?

**Answer**

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

(a):- Yes, Sir.

(b):- Retiring rooms are provided at - Chennai, Kolkata, Trivandrum, Calicut, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Jaipur, Nagpur, Coimbatore, Patna, Bhopal, Indore, Vadodara, Bhubneshwar, Chandigarh, Vishakhapatnam, Ranchi, Agartala, Bagdogra and Agra airports.

(c), (d) &(e):- There were 14 rooms at Mumbai airport. This facility has been withdrawn on a temporary basis as a part of modernization.