

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3285  
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CIVIL AVIATION FACILITIES AT DEOGHAR AIRPORT  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) Whether the Government proposes to modernise the Deoghar Airport in Jharkhand ;
- (b) If so, the details thereof ;
- (c) Whether the Government proposed to start air service of public/private airlines from New Delhi-Deoghar-Kolkata for the tourists who frequently visit at the famous temple of Lord Shiva, Satsang Ashram and the Yoga Institute of world fame at Deoghar ;
- (d) If so, the details thereof; and
- (e) If not, the reasons therefor ?

**Answer**

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

- (a) Deoghar airport in Jharkhand belongs to State Government of Jharkhand and is presently non-operational. Airports Authority of India (AAI) has no development plan for this airport.
- (b),(c),(d)&(e) Do not arise.