

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:867  
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Operations at Begumpet Airport  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Ministry has received any representation/proposal from the State Government of Telangana for resuming commercial operations at the Begumpet Airport;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon;
- (c) whether the Airport Authority of India has incurred any losses for the non-utilization of the airport infrastructure given the restrictions on the use of land for commercial operations; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION  
(Dr Mahesh Sharma)

- (a) : No Madam.
- (b) : Does not arise.
- (c) : AAI has incurred operational loss of Rs. 27.78 Cr. in 2012-13, Rs. 24.44 Cr. in 2013-14 and Rs. 31.94 in 2014-15 due to closure of commercial operations at Begumpet Airport. The drop in revenue to AAI in 2014-15 amounts to Rs. 186.08 crore compared to 2007-08 when the Airport was closed for commercial operations.
- (d): The details of drop in revenue are as under:
  - Reduction in traffic charges : Rs. 174.71 Cr.
  - Reduction in Non-traffic charges : Rs. 11.37 Cr.