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Title: Need to commence air transport services in Cooch Behar Airport.

SHRI PARTHA PRATIM RAY (COOCH BEHAR): Thank you, Madam, for giving me the opportunity to speak. The Ministry of Civil Aviation released an order dated 4th march, 2014 regarding air transport services in different regions and in remote areas of the country. In this order, a list of airports identified for providing air services connectivity was also published. Fortunately, Cooch Behar Airport which is situated in my constituency is also listed as one of the important regional airports under Airports Authority of India. Unfortunately, air services in Cooch Behar Airport are yet to be started. I demand to start the air transport services in Cooch Behar Airport to remove all the adversity as early as possible for the better interest of Cooch Behar people.