

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:97  
ANSWERED ON:08.12.2003  
COURIER COMPANIES USING AIRLINES CARGO SERVICE  
GUNIPATI RAMAIAH

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether private courier companies use airlines` cargo service;
- (b) if so, whether the Indian Post Office Act prohibit private courier companies to use the airlines` cargo service;
- (c) if so, the details in this regard; and
- (d) the steps contemplated by the Government to check this practice?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION ( SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY )

- (a) :- Yes, Sir.
- (b) :- No, Sir. Private Courier Companies are not covered by the Indian Post Office Act.
- (c) :- Does not arise.
- (d) :- Does not arise.