GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

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WATER LOGGING ON RUNWAYS
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether accidents on wet runways are on the increase;
- (b) if so, the number of such accidents reported during 2005 till date; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to solve the problems of water logging on airport runways?

Answer

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

- (a):- No, Sir.
- (b):- Does not arise.
- (c):- Adequate drainage system has been provided for disposal of rain water to prevent the flooding on the runways at the airports. The drainage systems are improved from time to time whenever deficiency is noticed due to unprecedent heavy rains.