

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1481

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PROTEST OF EMPLOYEES FOR PRIVATISATION OF AIRPORTS

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

- (a) whether the employees of Airport Authority of India have submitted an alternative proposal for modernisation of airports instead of their privatisation;
- (b) if so, whether the Government has formed a committee to look into the proposal;
- (c) if so, whether the said committee has submitted its report;
- (d) if so, the steps taken by the Government on the recommendations of the said committee; and
- (e) if not, by when the committee is likely to submit its report?

**Answer**

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

- (a): The employees of Airports Authority of India (AAI) have submitted a brief modernisation proposal for Delhi and Mumbai airports to the AAI.
- (b): A Committee has been formed by AAI to look into this modernisation proposal.
- (c): No, Sir.
- (d): Does not arise.
- (e): The Committee discussed the modernisation proposal with the representatives of the employees. The employees have requested assistance and time for preparing a detailed proposal. The Committee will submit its report on receipt of the detailed proposal from the employees of AAI.