

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2531  
ANSWERED ON:16.12.2004  
DOPT'S INSTRUCTIONS TO PROMOTIONS OF SC/ST CANDIDATES  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Airports Authority of India, I.G.I. Airport, New Delhi has implemented own merit concept in promotions as instructions contained in DOPT's O.M.No.36028/ 17/2001 -Estt.(Res) dated 11.7.2002; (b if so, the number of SC&ST candidates have been promoted on their own merit and counted as UR in post based roster from 1997 to till date;
- (c) the number of SC&ST candidates have been promoted by virtue of reservation against reserved posts during the same period;
- (d) the details of status of SC&ST candidate's short fall year-wise since July 2, 1997 by implementing own merit concept in promotion and without implementing this;
- (e) the number of grievances received on the above subject from individuals and from the SC&ST employees Welfare Association; and
- (f) the steps taken/ proposed to be taken in this regard?

**Answer**

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

(a),(b),(c),(d),(e) and (f):- The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.