

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

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LOSS MAKING AIRPORTS  
Budholiya Shri Rajnarayan

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

- (a) whether several airports of the country are running under losses;
- (b) if so, the details thereof as on date; and
- (c) the remedial measures taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

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

(a) : Yes, Sir.

(b) : During the year 2003-04, 115 airports of Airports Authority of India, including 38 non-operational airports had incurred a total loss of Rs.274.92 crores.

(c) : Airports Authority of India is taking steps to increase the non-aeronautical revenue at these airports to the extent possible and also to reduce the controllable expenditure.