

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:554
ANSWERED ON:09.07.2004
AIR SERVICE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN
Shiwankar Shri Maha Deo Rao

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any decision to start air-service between India and Pakistan was taken during the second week of June, 2004; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a)and(b):- In pursuance to the decision taken in the technical level talks between India and Pakistan held on 1.12.2003, air services between the two countries were restored with effect from 1.1.2004.