

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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EXPANSION OF AIRPORTS
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any expansion plan of different airports including Ahmedabad Airport is under the consideration of the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken in this regard as on date?

Answer

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

(a), (b) and (c):- Expansion/ upgradation of airports is a continuing process and is taken up in a phased manner depending upon projected requirements and availability of resources from time to time. Various category of development works such as construction/expansion/modification of terminal buildings, extension of runways, provision of aerobridges, aprons, taxiways etc. are planned at 37 international/ domestic airports including Ahmedabad airport in the 10th Five Year Plan. These works are at various stages of implementation.