

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

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NEW AIRPORT AT JAISALMER  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to develop a new airport at Jaisalmer, Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b): No new airport has been planned at Jaisalmer, Rajasthan. However, at the existing defence airport at Jaisalmer, establishment of a new Civil Air Terminal Complex has been taken up by Airports Authority of India to cater for 250 passengers with a link taxi track, an apron to park three A-321 type of aircraft at a time and a car park.

(c): Does not arise.