

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2379
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SETTING UP OF AIRPORT AT GANDHINAGAR
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to set up domestic airport at Gandhinagar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the infrastructure connected therewith and the estimated cost thereof; and
- (d) the time by which the said airport is likely to be set up?

Answer

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

(a) There is no proposal for an airport at Gandhinagar in Gujarat. However, there is already an airstrip namely Gandhinagar airstrip (Maharashtra) known as Nasik Road airfield which belongs to Army. There is no proposal under consideration for setting up a domestic airport at Nasik, Maharashtra.

(b), (c) & (d) Do not arise.