GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6744 ANSWERED ON:06.05.2010 CARGO HANDLING FACILITIES Chavan Shri Harischandra Deoram

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of those airports in the country where cargo handling facilities are available at present;
- (b) the details of the cargo handled by these airports during the last three years, year-wise; and
- (c) the names of the airports at which cargo premises are proposed to be set up during the Eleventh Five Year Plan with a view to improve the infrastructural facilities at the airports and expedite the pace of development in these areas?

Answer

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

- (a) The airports where cargo handling facility is operated by Airports Authority of India (AAI) are Chennai, Kolkata, Guwahati, Lucknow, Coimbatore, Amritsar and Indore. In addition, airports where cargo handling facility is operated by State Government Agencies/ others are Delhi, Mumbai, Amritsar, Nagpur, Bengaluru, Hyderabad, Ahmedabad, Jaipur, Varanasi, Calicut, Visakhapatnam, Trivandrum, Bagdogra, Goa, Cochin, Srinagar, Bhubaneshwar and Tiruchirapalli.
- (b) The details of cargo handled during the year 2006-07 to 2008-09 is given at annexure.
- (c) AAI has plans to develop cargo handling facilities at Srinagar, Surat and Agartala airports.