

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6790  
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APPOINTMENT OF FOREIGN CONSULTANT  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Air India has appointed foreign consultants to help draw its flight network in a bid to cut down on expenses;
- (b) if so, the details of consultants appointed with their terms, conditions and fees being paid to them;
- (c) whether Air India is also in the process of appointing foreign consultants for their financial restructuring;and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b): NACIL has appointed M/s SH&E as `Airline management Solution Provider` at a contract valued at\$549,000 through a tender selection process. They have been contracted to develop Network Strategy, Schedules and Aircraft Rotation for the combined entity, including the low cost carriers.

(c): No, Madam.

(d): Does not arise