

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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VADODARA AIRPORT
Rathwa Shri Ramsinhbhai Patalbhai

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the growth rate of air passengers at Vadodara airport;
- (b) the new facilities provided at Vadodara airport for the benefit of the passengers;
- (c) whether some development works are proposed at Vadodara airport; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a): The growth rate in passenger traffic at Vadodara Airport during 2009-10 over the previous year was 12.7%.
- (b): For the benefit of passengers, new apron to accommodate 6 numbers of aircraft of A 321 type for night parking and link taxiway have been constructed.
- (c) & (d): There are plans for construction of a new integrated terminal building with associated facility with capacity to handle 500 domestic and 200 international passengers at a time and new Air Traffic Control Tower-cum-Technical Block.