GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3818 ANSWERED ON:02.12.2010 TRAINING ACADEMY Singh Alias Pappu Singh Shri Uday

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has proposed to establish Civil Aviation Security Training Academy in near future;
- (b) if so, the objectives of the said academy;
- (c) whether the location for the academy has been identified;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the amount that has been spent on this project since its announcement and its utilisation thereof?

Answer

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

- (a)&(b): Yes, Madam. The objective of the academy is to become a Global Centre of Excellence in various aviation related education, training and research activities by meeting the domestic and regional requirement of suitably trained, authorized and certified officers/personnel in aviation security.
- (c)&(D): Yes, Madam. Airports Authority of India has selected a location at Rangpuri, in New Delhi for a Joint Training Academy for Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS), Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) and Airports Authority of India (AAI). Accordingly, Indian Aviation Academy has been set up under the aegis of National Institute of Aviation Management and Research Society.
- (e): No money has been spent on this project since its announcement. However, a provision of Rs. 25.00 Crore has been made for the Academy in the 11th Five Year Plan (2007-1012).