

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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AIR HOSTESS TRAINING FOR TRIBAL GIRLS
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to start any scheme for imparting air hostess training to the tribal girls;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the number of girls trained till date alongwith their future prospects; and
- (c) if not, the reasons for not contemplating such a scheme for the benefits of tribes?

Answer

MINISTER OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS & MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI)

(a), (b) and (c):- Whenever vacancies for cabin crew in the national carrier arise, advertisements are issued and necessary concessions as per Government rules are given to the Scheduled Tribe Candidates. On their selection as Cabin Crew, they are imparted in-house training as per guidelines issued by Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA).