GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEFENCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1696 ANSWERED ON:07.03.2011 AIR SHOW IN BANGALORE

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Air Show held in the Bangalore recently;
- (b) whether a foreign aircraft participating in the show has crashed;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether any assistance has been provided to the family members of the victims dead/injured in the said accident; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government to check recurrence of such incidents?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE(SHRI M.M. PALLAM RAJU)

- (a) The 8th edition of Aero India-2011 was conducted from 09-13 February, 2011 at Air Force Station, Yelahanka, Bangalore. Total 45 nos. of foreign aircraft including 26 civil aircraft participated in the event. Size of the show was much larger compared to the show conducted in the year 2009 on account of participation of civil aviation sector in the show. It was attended by 50 official delegations from different countries.
- (b) No, Madam.
- (c) to (e): Does not arise.