GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3429 ANSWERED ON:16.03.2011 CONSTRUCTION OF AIRPORT IN JEWAR, UP Nagar Shri Surendra Singh

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposals to set up international airports in Uttar Pradesh especially in Jewar(Greater Noida);
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the present status of these proposals; and
- (c) the time by which these airports are likely to be made functional?

Answer

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

- (a): Government of India has received proposals from Government of Uttar Pradesh (GoUP) for setting up of Greenfield airports at Jewar(Greater Noida) and Kushinagar in Uttar Pradesh.
- (b) & (c): Government of India has already granted `in-principle` approval for setting up of Greenfield Airport at Kushinagar. However, the proposal for setting up of a Greenfield airport at Jewar/Greater Noida was referred by the Union Cabinet, to a Group of Ministers (GoM) for looking into the legal and other related aspects of the matter.