

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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DOMESTIC AVIATION SECTOR
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering to form a Civil Aviation Authority to address the issues of domestic aviation sector; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b): The International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) after conducting a study in collaboration with Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) recommended a structured model for DGCA to suit India's requirements. The Government has accepted the recommendations of ICAO and a draft Civil Aviation Authority Bill is currently being drafted which shall be submitted before Parliament.