GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

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DELAY IN COMPLETION OF TERMINAL BUILDING INDORE
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the schedule of the construction work on Indore Airport;
- (b) the funds allocated/utilized in this regard alongwith the percentage of work completed of the target fixed;
- (c) whether any enquiry has been conducted for not completing the said work within the stipulated time period;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the outcome thereof alongwith the persons responsible for delay in the said work and the action taken against them;
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (f) the steps taken by the Government to expedite the work on the said project alongwith the time by which the new terminal building is likely to be made operational?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS & MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI)

- (a) The works related to construction of a New Terminal Building at Indore Airport was awarded in October, 2008. The work has since been completed.
- (b) A total of Rs. 135 crores was allotted for this work.
- (c), (d), (e) & (f) The delay has occurred mainly due to non handing over of land for proper car park and approach road by the State Government, due to which the drawings were revised, the location of Terminal Building was shifted towards apron to accommodate space for approach road in case of exigency. This resulted in reworking of plinth level considering slopes in apron and revising the drawings. In the revised locateion of Substation, AC Plant room and UG Tanks, hard rock was encountered which delayed the progress of work. The Terminal Building is scheduled to be made operational by September, 2011.