

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3582  
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VIP HELICOPTERS  
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether India is likely to receive the first set of VIP helicopters next year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise including Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) the objectives likely to be achieved by these helicopters; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to expedite the work on the said matter?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (d):- At present, no proposal of import of helicopter from State Govt. including Govt. of Andhra Pradesh is pending with the Ministry.