

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5606

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SURROUNDINGS OF SENSITIVE AREA OF LORD BALAJI TEMPLE

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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh had submitted proposals to the Union Government to announce the surroundings of the most sensitive area of 'Lord Balaji's Temple' as 'No Fly Zone' three times;

(b) if so, the details thereof and steps taken on these proposals; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a), (b) & (c): At present there is no such proposal under consideration. 'No Fly Zones' have to be kept at a minimum in order to ensure safety and efficiency of civil flight operations.