

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4509
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REDUCTION IN RETIREMENT AGE
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the National Aviation Company of India Limited (NACIL) is considering to reduce retirement age of its employees;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) the total strength of the NACIL employees as on date;
- (d) the number of employees likely to be affected/ retrenched as a result thereof;
- (e) whether the decision will apply on the Commercial pilots also; and
- (f) if so, the number of pilots likely to retire and its effect on the performance of NACIL due to reduced strength of Pilots?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

- (a): No, Sir.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c): As on 30.06.2009, the total strength of employees in National Aviation Company of India Limited (NACIL) is 30753, excluding its subsidiaries.
- (d),(e) and (f): Do not arise in view of reply to part (a) above.