

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3261  
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UPGRADATION OF INDORE AIRPORT  
Guddu Shri Premchandra

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has accorded sanction to upgrade the Indore Airport as international airport;
- (b) if so, the present status thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the work is likely to be completed in this regard?

**Answer**

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

(a)to(c) Yes, Madam. The upgradation and modernisation of airports is a continuous process depending upon traffic potential and availability of resources. The projects undertaken and completed at airports located at Indore Airport are:-

- (i) construction of new centrally air-conditioned integrated terminal building with all state-of-art and modern facilities with capacity to handle 200 international and 500 domestic passengers at a cost of Rs.135.61 crores.
- (ii) Strengthening and extension of runway upto 2750 m suitable for operation of 4-D Category of aircraft, new apron, taxiways and isolation bay at a cost of Rs.79.86 crores.