

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:101  
ANSWERED ON:02.07.2009  
EXPANSION OF AIRPORT AT INDORE  
Mahajan Smt. Sumitra

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

- (a) whether the Devi Ahilyabai Holkar Airport, Indore in Madhya Pradesh is proposed to be expanded;
- (b) if so, the details of the land available and required for expansion;
- (c) whether the Union Government has requested for additional land from State Government; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b), (c) & (d) At present, 729.63 acres land is available for development of Indore Airport. The State Government has been requested to provide 2345.2 acres of land free of cost and free from all encumbrances for further expansion of this airport for extension of runway to 3505 meters, establishment of cargo complex, and construction of second runway.