

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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AIR LOSSES

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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Air India is contemplating retrenchment of employees;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is any proposal to auction certain routes of Air India to generate additional revenue;
- (d) if so, the status of the proposal and the routes identified under the scheme; and
- (e) the total loss of national carrier Air India everyday on the operation side?

Answer

MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AJIT SINGH)

- (a): No, Madam.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c): No, Madam.
- (d): Does not arise.
- (e): The total loss of Air India every day on its operations is approximately Rs.10.00 crores.