GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4156 ANSWERED ON:02.05.2012 BUREAU OF CIVIL AVIATION SECURITY Thamaraiselvan Shri R.

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of people to whom Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS) provided training during each of the last three years and the current year;

(b) whether BCAS is considering to make aviation security more robust by adopting new and cutting edge technologies on all the airports;

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the country is 100 per cent compliant with International Civil Aviation Organisation Standards and Recommended practices;

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(f) whether Indian Civil Aviation Security System has been adjudged in 2011 as meeting the highest international standards under Universal Security Audit Programme by ICAO; and (g) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AJIT SINGH)

(a): The training provided by Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS) during the last three years and the current year is as under:-

Year No. of Candidates attended

2009 6532

2010 9112

2011 21785

2012 5124

(b) & (c): Yes, Madam. In this regard, a Technical Specification Committee has been constituted by this Ministry involving departments of Govt. of India having expertise in respective fields to adopt new and cutting edge technologies on all the airports.

(d) & (e): Yes, Madam. The International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) standards & recommended practices are implemented at the civil airports in the country.

(f) & (g): Yes, Madam. Audit results in respect of critical elements of security oversight system and lack of effective implementation is as under:-

i. Global - 34.01% ii. India - 10.75%