

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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FAKE PILOT LICENCES

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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the number and details of pilots apprehended so far with fake licences/for submitting fake mark-sheet to obtain licences;
- (b) the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government against such pilots;
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to check the authenticity of commercial pilot licences issued by domestic as well as foreign institutes/organisations;
- (d) whether several important documents pertaining to the investigations into commercial pilot license examination are reported to have gone missing from the DGCA office;
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government against the officials of DGCA involved in the issuance of such fake pilot licenses; and
- (f) the measures taken to check recurrence of such incidents?

Answer

MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AJIT SINGH)

(a) : As per information submitted by Delhi Police, the list of apprehended pilots is enclosed at Annexure 'A'.

(b): The action taken report for such pilots is enclosed at Annexure 'B'.

(c): All the licences issued by Foreign countries are verified from the regulatory authorities of concerned contracting state.

The results of pilot licence written examination is verified from the master folder provided by Central Examination Organization and educational qualifications from concerned Board/University.

(d): All files which are required for investigation by Delhi Police have been handed over to Delhi Police except in case Mr. Param Prakash and Mr. Saif Mishab.

(e): As a result of investigation by crime branch of Delhi Police, 03 officers of DGCA were arrested for their involvement in the scam. All three have been suspended from the services of DGCA.

(f): As part of the reorganization of training and licencing sections new compactors have been installed.