## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEFENCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2120 ANSWERED ON:11.03.2013 ANTI COLLISION DEVICE FOR VVIP AIRCRAFT De Dr. Ratna

## Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to equip the VVIP aircraft with anti-collision technology;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to extend this to other aircraft too in future; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

## **Answer**

## MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

- (a) to (c): The Indian Air Force (IAF) presently operates Embraer Executive Jets and Boeing Business Jets for VIP / VVIP duties. All these aircraft are equipped with Traffic Alert Collision Avoidance Systems and Ground Proximity Warning Systems as anti-collision features.
- (d) & (e): IAF has decided that all aircraft to be procured by them in future will have anti-collision technologies incorporated in them. The type of equipment will depend on the role and operational employability of the aircraft.