

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2994  
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MERGER OF SUBSIDIARIES WITH NATIONAL CARRIER  
Pradhan Shri Amarnath

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

- (a) whether Alliance Air and Air India Express, the subsidiary of Air India have not been merged with National carrier;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the employees of these subsidiaries are recruited in violation of the guidelines in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details of the guidelines;and
- (e) the steps likely to be taken to merge these subsidiaries with National Carrier?

**Answer**

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION SHRI (K. C. VENUGOPAL )

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b): There is no proposal for merger of Alliance Air and Air India Express with Air India.
- (c): No, Madam.
- (d) & (e): Do not arise in view of the (c) above.