GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3113 ANSWERED ON:29.08.2013 RADARS AT AIRPORTS Rathod Shri Ramesh

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Radars have been installed at Delhi and Mumbai airports by any US based company;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Airport Authority of India has noticed that critical components of radars installed at both the airports are breaking down repeatedly despite repairs by themanufacturer;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Radars at Indira Gandhi International Airport, Delhi and Chhatrapati Shivaji International Airport, Mumbai have been supplied and installed by M/sRaytheon, a USA-based company, in the year 1995.

(c): No, Madam.

(d) & (e): Do not arise.