

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:4
ANSWERED ON:05.12.2013
DIVERSION OF GULF ROUTES
Rathod Shri Ramesh

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether certain profitable Gulf routes of Air India have been diverted to Jet Airways in the past resulting in losses to Air India;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the routes which have been withdrawn from Air India and given to Jet Airways during the last three years and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether any inquiry has been conducted by the Government in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken against the officials responsible for the losses to Air India and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the step taken/being taken to augment the revenue generation by Air India?

Answer

Minister of CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AJIT SINGH)

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION () No. 4 FOR ANSWER ON 5.12.2013 REGARDING DIVERSION OF GULF ROUTES.

(a) : No Madam.

(b) to (d): Does not arise.

(e) : Several steps have been taken to augment the revenue generation by Air India, the details thereof is at Annex.