

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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FACILITIES AT AIRPORTS
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is the responsibility of the Airport Authority of India to place placard to show that system is not working in case some system is defective at airport;
- (b) if so, whether this is followed in airports in India and if so, the details thereof, airport-wise;
- (c) whether a passenger is made to wait for the clearance of his bag in case there is any problem with the bag in a scanner, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether there is a proposal to employ some dilatation force to check such types of bags; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a)&(b): Yes, Madam. At airports managed by Airports Authority of India (AAI), if a particular facility provided by AAI is not in a working condition, a placard/standee is placed to indicate the same.
- (c): Yes, Madam. Clearance and physical checking is carried out by airlines staff in case of registered baggage and clarification/physical checking is undertaken by security personnel in the case of hand baggage.
- (d): There is no such proposal.
- (e): Does not arise.