

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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

- (a) the number of new Dreamliners air crafts of Air India are going to be launched this year by the Government;
- (b) whether the existing Air India Dreamliners are functioning properly in a with profitable way;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a): According to the delivery plan, six new Dreamliners aircrafts will be delivered to Air India in 2014.
- (b) and (c): Routes which were not meeting even the Aviation Turbine Fuel/Cash Costs have now started showing positive results, on deployment of Dreamliner aircrafts in these routes.
- (d): Does not arise in view of parts (b) and (c) above.