GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4398 ANSWERED ON:20.02.2014 COMMERCIAL PILOT TRAINING FACILITY Meghe Shri Datta Raghobaji

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of universities in the country where commercial pilot training facility is available; and
- (b) whether the Government proposes to introduce commercial pilot training facility in other universities as well and if so, the names of such universities?

Answer

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

(a): No Madam. Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) has not approved any university to provide Commercial Pilot Licence Training.

There is no requirement of University for providing Commercial Pilot Training.

The Flying Training Organisation approval is granted by DGCA as per Civil Aviation Requirement, Section 7, Series `D`, Part I. There are 48 Flying Training Organisations (FTO) in the country approved by Director General of Civil Aviation to impart training for Commercial Pilot Licence. The list of FTO is place at Annexure. 1

(b): Does not arise in view of the (a) above.