GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

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CITY SIDE DEVELOPMENT WORKS AT AIRPORTS
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to undertake city side developmental works at some of the airports like providing hotels, convention centres and such other facilities;
- (b) if so, the names of the airports which are proposed to be developed for such purposes and the facilities to be provided at each of the airports; and
- (c) the cost involved and the time by which the work is to be taken in hand and the schedule for completion?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

- (a) Yes, Madam.
- (b) The city side development was proposed to be undertaken at 24 airports namely Kolkata, Hyderabad (Begumpet), Ahmedabad, Madurai, Mangalore, Khajuraho, Surat, Vadodara, Bhopal, Amritsar, Guwahati, Jaipur, Trivandrum, Lucknow, Raipur, Vizag, Trichy, Bhubaneswar, Varanasi, Agartala, Dehradun, Ranchi and Dimapur has been planned. However, it has now been considered that. in the 1st phase, ten airports namely Kolkata, Hyderabad (Begumpet), Vishakhapatnam, Bhubaneswar, Lucknow, Indore, Ahmedabad, Amritsar, Guwahati and Jaipur should be taken up for city side development.

Some of the facilities planned to be made available are hotels, restaurants, convention centres, food court, flight kitchen, petrol pump, retail shops, cargo facilities, parking etc.

(c) The land available at the airports on the cityside is to be carried out and leased through open tender for development of facilities. The amount to be spent for city side development at each airport would depend upon the bid to be submitted by the successful bidder selected through competitive bidding.