

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 4222  
(To be answered on the 18<sup>th</sup> July 2019)

EXPANSION OF RAJAHMUNDRY AIRPORT

4222. SHRI MARGANI BHARAT

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION

नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Rajahmundry airport has become the destination for the arrival of eleven flights and the departure of another eleven flights every day and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether there has been a four-time growth in the number of flights in a period of eight months and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is a demand for air connectivity from cities like Delhi, Kolkata and Mumbai to and from Rajahmundry; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which this demand is likely to be met?

ANSWER

Minister of State (IC) in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION

नागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (स्वतंत्र प्रभार)

(Shri Hardeep Singh Puri)

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- (a): Rajahmundry Airport handles arrival of 9 flights and the departure of 9 flights per day.
- (b): No, Sir. No such growth trend in the number of flights has been observed over a period of 8 months.
- (c): So far, no airline has expressed interest to connect cities like Delhi, Kolkata and Mumbai to/from Rajahmundry.
- (d): Does not arise.

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