

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
RAJYA SABHA  
QUESTION NO 09.11.2010  
ANSWERED ON**

**SHIFTING OF HEADQUARTERS OF AIR INDIA EXPRESS FROM MUMBAI TO KERALA .**

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Dr. T.N. Seema

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

- (a) whether there is any proposal to shift the headquarters of Air India Express from Mumbai to Kerala/Thiruvananthapuram;
- (b) whether any decision has been taken on the proposal; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

( SHRI PRAFUL PATEL )

(a), (b) and (c): Yes, Sir. A decision has been taken by Air India to shift the Headquarters of Air India Express to Kerala in order to optimise the resources. Hanger and Engineering facilities are being shifted to Thiruvananthapuram. Operations and Commercial facilities are being shifted to Cochin.