

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
RAJYA SABHA
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ANSWERED ON
CARGO OPERATIONS OF NACIL .

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

- (a) whether various private airlines are in the process of starting their own dedicated cargo services in order to capture increasing cargo market;
- (b) if so, the steps taken by the National Aviation Company India Limited (NACIL) to increase its revenue share in the cargo business;
- (c) whether NACIL proposes to create its separate cargo unit for their cost effective operations and also to create some strategic business units; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a):- At present Blue Dart Aviation, Deccan Cargo Express and Aryan Cargo are operating dedicated air cargo services.

(b) to (d):- A freighter Committee within NACIL has been constituted to devise plan to increase its share in cargo business. A dedicated freighter service, which was temporarily suspended has been planned now to restart operation with new dedicated aircrafts soon. At present no separate SBU for the purpose is operational within NACIL.