

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
RAJYA SABHA
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(TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 1st December 2015)

UNIFIED POLICY FOR DEVELOPMENT OF NEW AIRPORTS

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

- (a) the number of cities in the country where Government has plans to develop airports under the new aviation policy;
- b) whether the airports/airstrips coming under Ministry of Defence have also been included under it;
- c) the number of such airstrips coming under Ministry of Defence, which are almost not in use presently; and
- d) whether Government is formulating a unified scheme in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

(Dr Mahesh Sharma)

- a) The number of cities have not been fixed in the Policy.
- b) The airports/airstrips have not been finalised in the Policy, including Defence.
- c) Nil - in view of above.
- d) The Regional Connectivity Scheme as proposed in the Draft Civil Aviation Policy is applicable across the country.
