

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
Rajya Sabha
STARRED QUESTION NO. : 133
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 14th March 2022

DIGI YATRA POLICY

133. SMT GEETA ALIAS CHANDRAPRABHA

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

(a) the details of the Digi Yatra policy;

(b) the steps taken by Government to promote the policy;

(c) whether the COVID-19 pandemic has created hindrances in the successful implementation of Digi Yatra policy; and

(d) if so, the efforts being made by Government to deal with these hindrances?

ANSWER

Minister of CIVIL AVIATION (Shri Jyotiraditya M. Scindia)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred in the reply to Rajya Sabha Starred (*) Question No. 133 for 14.03.2022 regarding "Digi Yatra Policy"

(a) & (b): Digi Yatra policy is an initiative launched by Ministry of Civil Aviation for providing passengers seamless and hassle-free experience at airports without the need for verification of ticket and ID at multiple touch points. Digi Yatra is to be implemented across airports in a phased manner. The first phase is planned at Kolkata, Varanasi, Pune, Vijayawada, Bangalore, Delhi and Hyderabad Airports. Preliminary testing of the Digi Yatra Biometric boarding

system with registration for the 'Day of Travel' at these airports has been completed.

(c) & (d): There have been some challenges with respect to the delivery and installation of hardware equipment at the respective airports due to Covid-19. However, on-line meetings have been held for approving the Software Requirements documents, Software Design documents etc.