

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO : 1283
(TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 13th March 2023)**

INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS OPERATIONAL IN THE COUNTRY

1283. SMT GEETA ALIAS CHANDRAPRABHA

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

- (a) the number of international airports currently operational in the country;
- (b) the number of new international airports constructed during last five years;
- (c) the number of new international airports constructed in Uttar Pradesh during last five years; and
- (d) the number of countries to which international flights are being regularly operated from the international airports located in Uttar Pradesh, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

(GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD))

- (a): At present, there are 30 operational international airports in the country.
- (b) & (c): During the last five years, 3 international airports have been operationalised in the country including one international airport i.e. Kushinagar in Uttar Pradesh.
- (d) International flights are being regularly operated to United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, Oman and Thailand from the Lucknow international airport and to United Arab Emirates and Nepal from Varanasi International airport.
