

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
Rajya Sabha
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 1294
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 13th March 2023
FLYING TRAINING INSTITUTES

1294. SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA

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

- (a) whether the Government plans to set up flying training institutes in the country and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;**
- (b) the number of commercial pilots trained during the last three years; and**
- (c) the details of the criteria laid down for setting up new aviation training institutes along with the infrastructure required in this regard?**

ANSWER

**Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION
(GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD))**

- (a) There are 35 DGCA approved FTOs in India operating at 53 bases. State/UT wise list of FTOs is at Annexure 1.**

In order to set up more flying training institutes in the country, in 2021, after a competitive bidding process, AAI awarded nine FTO slots at five airports at Belagavi (Karnataka), Jalgaon (Maharashtra), Kalaburagi (Karnataka), Khajuraho (Madhya Pradesh) and Lilabari (Assam).

In June 2022, under second round of bidding, six FTO slots were awarded by AAI at five airports namely: two slots at Bhavnagar (Gujarat), and one each at Hubballi (Karnataka), Kadappa (Andhra Pradesh), Kishangarh (Rajasthan) and Salem (Tamil Nadu).

(b) The number of commercial pilots trained during the last three years is as under:

Year	CPLs issued to cadets
2020	578
2021	863
2022	1165

(c) The details of criteria prescribed including the basic infrastructure facilities required for setting up a new FTO are laid down under Rule 41B of the Aircraft Rules 1937 and Civil Aviation Requirements (CAR) Section 7, Series D, Part 1.

**ANNEXURE IN REPLY TO RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1294
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**STATE-WISE LIST OF FLYING TRAINING ORGANISATIONS (AS OF 31st
JANUARY 2023)**

S No	State	Name	Address	Additional bases
1.	Bihar	Bihar Flying Institute	Patna Airport, Patna	
2.	Gujarat	Ahmedabad Aviation & Aeronautics Ltd.,	AAA Hangar, Old Terminal Airport, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	
3.	Gujarat	Gujarat Flying Club,	Vadodara Airport, Gujarat	
4.	Haryana	Haryana Institute of Civil Aviation	Civil Aerodrome, Kunjpura Road, Karnal, Haryana.	1. Hisar, Haryana 2. Pinjore, Haryana
5.	Haryana	FSTC Flying School Private Ltd	Chaudhary Bansi Lal Airport, Bhiwani, Haryana	Narnaul, Haryana
6.	Jharkhand	Alchemist Aviation Pvt. Ltd.	Jamshedpur, Jharkhand	
7.	Karnataka	Govt. Flying Training School	Jakkur, Bangalore	
8.	Karnataka	Orient Flight Aviation Academy	Mysore, Karnataka	
9.	Kerala	Rajiv Gandhi Academy for Aviation Technology	Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala	
10.	Madhya Pradesh	Chimes Aviation Academy,	Sagar, Madhya Pradesh	
11.	Madhya Pradesh	Madhya Pradesh Flying Club, Indore	Devi Ahilyabai Holkar Airport, Civil Aerodrome, Bijasan Road, Indore, Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.
12.	Madhya Pradesh	Sha-Shib Flying Academy,	Guna, Madhya Pradesh	

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13.	Madhya Pradesh	Jet Serve Aviation Pvt. Ltd.	Fly Ola Aviation Academy, Terminal Road, Khajuraho Airport, Khajuraho, Madhya Pradesh	
14.	Maharashtra	Academy of Carver Aviation,	Baramati Airport, Baramati, Maharashtra	
15.	Maharashtra	Blue Ray Aviation	BRAPL Hangar, Osmanabad Airport, Maharashtra	Mahesana, Gujarat
16.	Maharashtra	Nagpur Flying Club	Office of the Divisional Commissioner, Civil Lines, Nagpur, Maharashtra.	
17.	Maharashtra	National Flying Training Institute, Pvt. Ltd,	C/o Airport Authority of India, Birsi Airport, P.O.P; Paraswada, Gondia, Maharashtra	
18.	Maharashtra	Redbird Flight Training Academy Pvt. Ltd.	Baramati Airport, Baramati, Maharashtra	1. Seoni, Madhya Pradesh 2. Lilabari, Assam 3. Kalaburagi, Karnataka
19.	Maharashtra	SVKM NMIMS Academy of Aviation	Campus-Babulde, Shirpur, Dist. Dhule, Maharashtra	
20.	Maharashtra	SKYNEX Aero Pvt. Ltd.	Jalgaon Airport, Jalgaon, Maharashtra	
21.	Maharashtra	The Bombay Flying Club,	Juhu Airport, Santacruz (W), Mumbai, Maharashtra	1. Mumbai, Maharashtra 2. Dhule, Maharashtra
22.	Odisha	Govt. Aviation Training Institute,	Directorate of Aviation, Orissa, Civil Aerodrome, Bhubaneswar, Odisha	Birasal, Odisha
23.	Punjab	Patiala Aviation Club	Patiala, Punjab	Amritsar, Punjab
24.	Rajasthan	Banasthali Vidyapith Gliding Flying Club	Banasthali, Dist. Tonk, Rajasthan	
25.	Telangana	Asia Pacific Flight	GMR HIAL Airport,	1. Begumpet Airport,

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		Training Academy Ltd.	Rajiv Gandhi International Airport, Shamshabad, Hyderabad, Telangana (2013)	Hyderabad, Telangana (2015) 2. Kalaburagi Airport, Karnataka (2021)
26.	Telangana	Flytech Aviation Academy,	A1-Kauser, Plot No.295, Road No. 10, West Maredpally. Secunderabad. Telangana	1. Nadirgul, Telangana 2. Nagarjun Sagar, Andhra Pradesh
27.	Telangana	Telangana State Aviation Academy,	Andhra Pradesh, old Air Port, Hyderabad, Telangana	
28.	Telangana	Wings Aviation Pvt. Ltd.,	1-11-256/B, Plot No. 108, Adjacent Airport Road, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Telangana	
29.	Uttar Pradesh	Ambitions Flying Club Pvt. Ltd	Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh	
30.	Uttar Pradesh	Chetak Aviation	MS-10, NH-91, Aligarh Airstrip, Dhanipur Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh	
31.	Uttar Pradesh	Falcon Aviation Academy	Ayodhya, Faizabad, Uttar Pradesh. (Non-operational) (2013)	Rewa, Madhya Pradesh (2019)
32.	Uttar Pradesh	Garg Aviation Ltd. UP	Hangar No.3dhule, Civil Aerodrome, Cantt. Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh	
33.	Uttar Pradesh	Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Udan Akademy	Fursatganj, Dist. Raebareilly, Uttar Pradesh	Gondia, Maharashtra
34.	Uttar Pradesh	Pioneer Flying Academy Pvt. Ltd	MS-10, NH-91, Dhanipur Airport, Post Panethi, Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh	
35.	Uttar Pradesh	Saraswati Aviation Academy	Sultanpur, Amhat Airfield, Uttar Pradesh	

Source: Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA)

