

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
Rajya Sabha
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 324
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 6th February 2023
FIRST ZERO-EMISSION AIRCRAFT

324. SHRI M. SHANMUGAM

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

- (a) whether Government and private players are working in tandem for the First Zero-Emission (ZEROe) aircraft to be ready by 2035 with Government of India playing a significant role in its design, research and development;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether such aircrafts are expected to help explore many configurations and hydrogen technologies requiring huge investment and innovative technology; and**
- (d) if so, whether any collaborations or joint ventures are being worked out, any memorandum of understanding signed with any agency, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

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

(a) Presently, there is no proposal under consideration of Ministry of Civil Aviation for developing zero-emission (ZEROe) aircraft.

(b) to (d) Does not arise.
