

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION**

**Rajya Sabha**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 1141**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 31st July 2023**

**RSC-UDAN SCHEME IN ASSAM AND NORTHEAST**

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

- (a) the status of Regional Connectivity Scheme (RCS)-UDAN scheme in Assam and North Eastern Region;**
- (b) the details of airports which were enlisted by the Ministry of Civil Aviation in Assam and North East; and**
- (c) the benefits brought about by the scheme in augmenting air travel to Assam and the North East?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) to (c): In the four rounds of bidding under Regional Connectivity Scheme (RCS), 142 Fixed wing and Helicopter routes have been awarded and 36 Airports/Water Aerodromes/Heliports have been identified for development & operationalisation in North Eastern Region (NER), including Assam. The list of identified Airport/Heliport/Water Aerodrome is at Annexure.**

**Airports at Rupsi, Tezu, Tezpur, Pasighat, Jorhat, Lilabari, Shillong, Pakyong, Itanagar and Dimapur involving 66 routes have been operationalised under UDAN in the North Eastern Region, thereby augmenting air travel to the region.**

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## List of Identified Airport/Heliport/Water Aerodrome in NER under UDAN

S. No.	State	Airport/Heliport/ WA
1.	<b>Arunachal Pradesh</b>	Daparizo (H)
2.		Itanagar(H)
3.		Passighat
4.		Tezu
5.		Tuting (H)
6.		Walong (H)
7.		Yinghiong (H)
8.		Ziro (H)
9.		Holongi
10.	<b>Assam</b>	Geleki (H)
11.		Guwahati River Front (W)
12.		Jorhat
13.		Kaziranga
14.		Lilabari
15.		Misa (H)
16.		Nagaon(H)
17.		Rupsi
18.		Tezpur
19.	Umrangso Reservoir (W)	
20.	<b>Manipur</b>	Jiribam(H)
21.		Moreh(H)
22.		Parbung(H)
23.		Tamenglong(H)
24.		Thanlon(H)
25.	<b>Meghalaya</b>	Dawki (H)
26.		Jowai (H)
27.		Khliehrat (H)
28.		Nongstoin (H)
29.		Shella (H)
30.		Shillong (Barapani)
31.		Sohra (H)
32.		Tura
33.		Williamnagar (H)
34.	<b>Nagaland</b>	Dimapur
35.	<b>Sikkim</b>	Pakyong
36.	<b>Tripura</b>	Kailashahar
	<b>Total</b>	

Note: (H) for Heliport and (W) for Water Aerodrome.

