

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO : 1950
(TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 7th August 2023)

**OPERATORS UNDER UDAN SCHEME IN THE STATE OF MADHYA
PRADESH**

1950. SHRI VIVEK K. TANKHA

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

- (a) the number of new operators under the UDAN Scheme registered to operate on airports in Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) the number of these new operators still functioning; and
- (c) whether Government has any plan for privatization of the Bhopal, Indore and Jabalpur Airports?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

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

(a) & (b): Under the UDAN scheme, the following 05 Selected Airline Operators (SAO) have been awarded routes to operate RCS flights in the state of Madhya Pradesh - Alliance Air, Indigo, SpiceJet, Star Air, Fly Big. Presently, Alliance Air, Indigo, SpiceJet and Star Air are operating flights under UDAN in Madhya Pradesh .

(c): As per National Monetisation Pipeline (NMP), 25 AAI airports namely, Bhubaneshwar, Varanasi, Amritsar, Trichy, Indore, Raipur, Calicut, Coimbatore, Nagpur, Patna, Madurai, Surat, Ranchi, Jodhpur, Chennai, Vijayawada, Vadodara, Bhopal, Tirupati, Hubli, Imphal, Agartala, Udaipur, Dehradun and Rajahmundry have been earmarked for leasing over the years 2022 to 2025.
