

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM

RAJYA SABHA
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**IMPACT AND PROMOTION OF GYROCOPTERS
ON TOURISM AND TRANSPORTATION**

452 SHRI SANJAY RAUT:

Will the Minister of **TOURISM** be pleased to state:

- (a) the manner in which Government envisions the impact of gyrocopters on tourism growth, particularly in remote regions like the Himalayas, which are difficult to access through traditional transportation means;
- (b) whether introduction of gyrocopters in these regions will create new job opportunities in sectors like tourism, transportation and emergency services, thus benefitting local communities;
- (c) the manner in which Government addresses concerns related to the cost and affordability of gyrocopter services for local populations and tourists, ensuring accessibility for both; and
- (d) whether Government is planning to explore public-private partnerships to support the development and commercialization of gyrocopter technology in the country?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

(a) to (d): Development of tourism is primarily responsibility of the concerned State Governments/UT Administrations. The Ministry of Tourism has not developed any separate policy for use of gyrocopters in tourism and has not undertaken any study in this regard.
