

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO : 17  
(TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 1<sup>st</sup> December 2025)**

**BIJU PATNAIK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

17. SHRI NIRANJAN BISHI

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

- (a) whether Government will consider establishing a second terminal at Biju Patnaik International Airport, Bhubaneswar, to handle increasing passenger traffic and future international operations; and  
(b) if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

(Shri Murlidhar Mohol)

(a) & (b): The expansion and modernization of airports is a continuous process and is undertaken by the Airport Operators from time to time depending on the availability of requisite land, commercial viability, socio-economic considerations, and the traffic demand or willingness of airlines to commence/increase operations. The proposal for construction of New Terminal Building (T3) at Bhubaneswar Airport is at a preliminary stage in Airports Authority of India and is subject to Government approvals and requisite regulatory clearances.

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