

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1835

TO BE ANSWERED ON FRIDAY 25<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER, 2016  
AGRAHAYANA 4, 1938 [SAKA]

**Disappearance of Gold from Customs Vaults**

†1835. SHRI B. SENGUTTUVAN:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- whether the Government is aware of disappearance of gold from any of the vaults in the customs department;
- if so, the details thereof and number of such cases reported during the last three years and the current year, airport and citywise including Trichy Airport; and
- if so, the details thereof and action taken thereon?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE**  
**(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)**

(a) Yes Madam.

(b) & (c) The details are given as under:-

Year of Detection	City	Name of the Airport	No. of Cases detected	Qty. of Gold misplaced (in Kg.)
2013-14	New Delhi	IGIA	04	10.88
	Mumbai	Not Applicable	01	1.92
2014-15	New Delhi	IGIA	01	1.51
2015-16	New Delhi	IGIA	05	11.26
	Trichy	Not Applicable	01	39.82
2016-17 (as on October, 2016)	New Delhi	IGIA	47	67.401

FIRs/Complaints have been lodged with the Police/Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI).

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