

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 2748  
(To be answered on the 1<sup>st</sup> December 2016)

EXPANSION/UPGRADATION OF RAJKOT AIRPORT

2748. SHRI DEVAJIBHAI G. FATEPARA  
SHRI KUNDARIYA MOHAN BHAI KALYANJI BHAI

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION

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be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Airports Authority of India (AAI) has sent a proposal to the Railway Authorities for acquisition of land for expansion and upgradation of Rajkot airport;
- (b) if so, the details and the present status of the proposal;
- (c) the time likely to be taken by AAI to upgrade and expand the Rajkot airport after acquisition of land from Railways; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to ensure timely completion of the project?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION

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(Shri Jayant Sinha)

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(a) & (b) : Yes, Madam. Airports Authority of India (AAI) had requested the Railway authorities for acquisition of 14.7 hectares of land for the expansion of the Rajkot Airport. However, the proposal did not materialize.

(c) & (d) : Do not arise.

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