

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 1341
(To be answered on the 9th February 2017)**

UDAN SCHEME

1341. **SHRI MOHITE PATIL VIJAYSINH SHANKARRAO
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION

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be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Airports Authority of India (AAI) has received a number of proposals from bidders to fly on indigenous routes under the Government scheme UDAN to improve connectivity to small and remote towns and if so, the details thereof and the terms and conditions for allotment of routes;
- (b) whether the initial proposal, cover as many as 65 airports of which some are un-served and some are under-served and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has also invited counter bids against these initial proposals and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether the scheme is likely to give a major boost to tourism activities and employment generation in hinterland and in Tier II and Tier III cities and if so, the details thereof?

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. List of unserved /underserved airports enclosed at Annexure-I. Routes under RCS Scheme are awarded through a transparent bidding process.
- (c): Yes madam. Five counter bids have been received from three bidders.
- (d): Yes Madam. As per an ICAO study, "Economic benefits of civil aviation: ripples of prosperity", the output and employment multipliers of aviation are 3.25 and 6.10 respectively.

LIST OF 43 UNSERVED AIRPORTS AND 7 HELIPADS INVOLVED FOR OPERATION OF RCS FLIGHT

S.NO.	AIRPORT	STATE	S.NO.	AIRPORT	STATE
1	BILASPUR	CHATTISGARH	27	ROURKELA	ORISSA
2	RAIGARH	CHATTISGARH	28	UTKELA	ORISSA
3	JAGDALPUR	CHATTISGARH	29	JEYPORE	ORISSA
4	AMBIKAPUR	CHATTISGARH	30	LUDHIANA	PUNJAB
5	MUNDRA	GUJARAT	31	JULLANDHAR	PUNJAB
6	MITHAPUR(DWARKA)	GUJARAT	32	PATHANKOT	PUNJAB
7	KANDLA	GUJRAT	33	BHATINDA	PUNJAB
8	SHIMLA	HIMACHAL PRADESH	34	JAISALMER	RAJASTHAN
9	JAMSHEDPUR	JHARKHAND	35	BIKANER	RAJASTHAN
10	MYSORE	KARNATAKA	36	SALEM	TAMILNADU
11	BANGALORE (CEHAL)	KARNATAKA	37	HOSUR	TAMILNADU
12	BIDAR	KARNATAKA	38	NEYVELI	TAMILNADU
13	VIDYANAGAR	KARNATAKA	39	DAMAN	U.T
14	JALGAON	MAHARASHTRA	40	KANPUR (CIVIL)	UTTAR PRADESH
15	KOLHAPUR	MAHARASHTRA	41	KANPUR (CHAKERI)	UTTAR PRADESH
16	SHOLAPUR	MAHARASHTRA	42	COOCHBEHAR	WEST BENGAL
17	MUMBAI JUHU	MAHARASHTRA	43	BURNPUR	WEST BENGAL
18	OZAR (NASIK)	MAHARASHTRA	LIST OF HELIPADS		
19	RATNAGIRI	MAHARASHTRA	1	PAHALGAM	J&K
20	AMRAVATI	MAHARASHTRA	2	SONAMARG	J&K
21	NANDED	MAHARASHTRA	3	MOREH	MANIPUR
22	LATUR	MAHARASHTRA	4	THANLON	MANIPUR
23	NASIK ROAD	MAHARASHTRA	5	PARBUNG	MANIPUR
24	AHMED NAGAR	MAHARASHTRA	6	TAMENGLONG	MANIPUR
25	IMPHAL (KORANGEE)	MANIPUR	7	JIRIBAM	MANIPUR
26	JHARSUGUDA	ORISSA			

LIST OF 12 UNDERSERVED AIRPORTS

S.NO	NAME OF THE AIRPORT	STATE	S.NO	NAME OF THE AIRPORT	STATE
1	KADAPA	ANDHRA PRADESH	7	PANTNAGAR	UTTARAKHAND
2	BHAVNAGAR	GUJARAT	8	JAMNAGAR	GUJARAT
3	PORBANDAR	GUJRAT	9	GWALIOR	MADHYA PRADESH
4	KULLU	HIMACHAL PRADESH	10	AGRA	UTTAR PRADESH
5	SHILLONG (BARAPANI)	MEGHALAYA	11	ANDAL (DURGAPUR)	WEST BENGAL
6	PONDICHERRY	U.T	12	DIU	UT