

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 3969  
(To be answered on the 10<sup>th</sup> August 2017)

**SURPRISE DRILL TO CHECK SECURITY AT AIRPORTS**

3969. SHRI S. RAJENDRAN

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION  
नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS) has organised surprise drill/dummy checks to ensure the security of the Airports in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of surprise drills/dummy checks carried out by BCAS during the last three years, year-wise; and
- (d) the details of the failure to detect the object or the failure of alertness of security staff during such drills/checks?

**ANSWER**

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION  
नागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री

(Shri Jayant Sinha)

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b) & (c): The details of surprise drill conducted at airports by Bureau of Civil Aviation Security(BCAS) during the last three years are as under:

Year	Number of security drills
2014	42
2015	96
2016	84
Upto July 2017	56

(d): BCAS has issued directions for corrective action in cases of non-detection of dummies by personnel on duty.

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