

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 4063  
(To be answered on the 10<sup>th</sup> August 2017)

PURCHASE OF AIRCRAFT BY AIR INDIA

4063. SHRI HARINDER SINGH KHALSA

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION  
नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) the number of aircraft purchased by the Air India during the last three years and the current year, year-wise;  
(b) the cost of such purchase and the financing agency therefor;  
(c) the basis and vision for such purchase; and  
(d) whether the disinvestment process that the Government is mulling would affect the fiscal discipline and the purchase of the planes and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(Shri Jayant Sinha)

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(a): During the last three years, Air India Ltd. has not purchased any aircraft.

(b) & (c): Do not arise in view of (a) above.

(d): No, Madam, during the disinvestment process, Government would continue to support Air India as per approved Turnaround Plan and would honour committed financial obligations till any further direction.

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