GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 3400
(To be answered on the 15th March 2018)

TAKE-OFF/LANDING PROBLEM AT AIRPORTS

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SHRI GEORGE BAKER

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION
नागर विमानन मंत्री be pleased to state:-

(a) the number of Airports in the country State/UT-wise;
(b) the number of the airports with heaviest traffic or busiest in the country, State/UT-wise including Gujarat, Maharashtra, Kerala and West Bengal;
(c) the details of the number of flights take-off/land daily on these airports;
(d) whether the Government is receiving regular complaints regarding takeoff/landing problems at these airports;
(e) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor and the measures being taken by the Government to deal with these problems; and
(f) whether the Government proposes to give preference of landing on these airports 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)

(a): Out of a total of 476 airports/airstrips in the country owned by Defence establishments, Airports Authority of India (AAI), State Governments, Private companies etc., only 129 airports are owned and managed by AAI. The State/UT-wise list of AAI's airports is at Annexure-I.
(b) & (c): 12 airports namely IGI Airport in Delhi, Mumbai in Maharashtra, Bengaluru in Karnataka, Chennai in Tamil Nadu, Kolkata in West Bengal, Hyderabad in Telangana, Cochin in Kerala, Ahmedabad in Gujarat, Goa Airport in Goa, Pune in Maharashtra, Lucknow in Uttar Pradesh and Trivandrum in Kerala are the busiest airport in the country. The details of the number of flights take-off/land daily on these airports during 2016-17 are given at Annexure-II.
(d) & (e): No, Madam. However, occasional complaints are received which are responded in timely manner. Further, AAI has taken steps to enhance infrastructure such as taxiways, aprons, navigational & visual aids, surveillance system etc. at airports to deal with problems in take-off and landing.
(f): Preference of landing is provided for VVIP flights, ambulance flights and emergency flights.

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Annexure-I

AAI AIRPORTS		
STATE/UT	S.NO.	STATION
ANDHRA PRADESH	1	KADAPAH
	2	DONAKONDA
	3	RAJAMUNDRY
	4	TIRUPATI
	5	VIJAYWADA
	6	VISAKHAPATNAM(CE)
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	7	DAPARIZO
	8	PASSIGHAT
	9	TEZU
ASSAM	10	DIBRUGARH
	11	GUWAHATI
	12	LILABARI
	13	JORHAT(CE)
	14	RUPSI
	15	SHELLA
	16	SILCHAR(CE)
	17	TEZPUR(CE)
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	18	PORT-BLAIR (CE)
BIHAR	19	GAYA
	20	JOGBANI
	21	MUZZAFARPUR
	22	PATNA (CUSTOM)
	23	RAXAUL
CHANDIGARH(UT)	24	CHANDIGARH (CE) (CUSTOM)
CHATTISGARH	25	RAIPUR
	26	BILASPUR
DELHI	27	NEW DELHI (SAFDARJUNG)
	28	IGI AIRPORT, NEW DELHI
DAMAN AND DIU (UT)	29	DIU
GOA	30	GOA (CE)
GUJARAT	31	AHMEDABAD
	32	BHAVNAGAR
	33	BHUJ(CE)
	34	DEESA(PALANPUR)
	35	KANDLA
	36	KESHOD
	37	JAMNAGAR(CE)
	38	PORBANDER
	39	RAJKOT
	40	SURAT
	41	VADODARA
HIMACHAL PRADESH	42	KANGRA(GAGGAL)
	43	BHUNTAR(KULLU)
	44	SHIMLA

AAI AIRPORTS		
STATE/UT	S.NO.	STATION
JHARKHAND	45	CHAKULIA
	46	RANCHI
	47	DEOGHAR
JAMMU & KASHMIR	48	JAMMU(CE)
	49	SRINAGAR(CE)
	50	LEH(CE)
KARNATAKA	51	BANGALORE(CE)
	52	BELGAUM
	53	HUBLI
	54	MANGALORE
	55	MYSORE
KERALA	56	CALICUT
	57	THIRUVANATHPURAM
LAKSHADWEEP ISLAND	58	AGATTI
MADHYA PRADESH	59	BHOPAL
	60	GWALIOR (CE)
	61	JABALPUR
	62	KHAJURAHO
	63	KHANDWA
	64	INDORE
	65	PANNA
	66	SATNA
MAHARASTRA	67	AKOLA
	68	AURANGABAD
	69	GONDIA
	70	JALGAON
	71	MUMBAI(JUHU)
	72	CSI AIRPORT, MUMBAI
	73	KOLHAPUR
	74	MIHAN, NAGPUR
	75	PUNE (CE)
	76	SHOLAPUR
MANIPUR	77	IMPHAL
MEGHALAYA	78	SHILLONG (Barapani)
MIZORAM	79	AIZAWL(TURIAL)
NAGALAND	80	DIMAPUR
ORISSA	81	BHUBANESWAR
	82	JHARSUGUDA
PUNJAB	83	AMRITSAR
	84	BHATINDA(CE)
	85	LUDHIANA
	86	PATHANKOT(CE)
	87	ADAMPUR(CE)
PUDUCHERRY	88	PUDUCHERRY

AAI AIRPORTS		
STATE/UT	S.NO.	STATION
RAJASTHAN	89	BIKANER(NAL) (CE)
	90	JAIPUR
	91	JAISALMER(CE)
	92	JODHPUR(CE)
	93	KOTA
	94	KISHANGARH
	95	UDAIPUR
SIKKIM	96	PAKYONG
TAMILNADU	97	COIMBATORE
	98	CHENNAI
	99	MADURAI
	100	SALEM
	101	TRICHY
	102	TUTICORIN
	103	THANJAVUR (CE)
	104	VELLORE
TELENGANA	105	HYDERABAD (Begumpet)
	106	WARANGAL
	107	NADIRGUL
TRIPURA	108	AGARTALA
	109	KAILASHAHAR
	110	KAMALPUR
	111	KHOWAI
UTTAR PRADESH	112	AGRA(CE)
	113	ALLAHABAD(CE)
	114	GORAKHPUR(CE)
	115	KANPUR(CHAKERI)(CE)
	116	KANPUR(CIVIL)
	117	LALITPUR
	118	LUCKNOW
	119	VARANASI
	120	BAREILLY (CE)
UTTARAKHAND	121	DEHRADUN
	122	PANTNAGAR
WEST BENGAL	123	ASANSOL
	124	BALURGHAT
	125	BAGDOGRA(CE)
	126	BEHALA
	127	COOCH-BEHAR
	128	KOLKATA
	129	MALDA

Legend: CE (Civil Enclave)

Annexure -II

TRAFFIC DETAILS OF 12 BUSIEST AIRPORTS IN THE COUNTRY DURING 2016-17

S-NO	AIRPORT	STATE	AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS*	DAILY AVERAGE OF AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS
1	DELHI (DIAL)	DELHI	417319	1143
2	MUMBAI (MIAL)	MAHARASHTRA	317473	870
3	BANGALORE (BIAL)	KARNATAKA	178165	488
4	CHENNAI	TAMILNADU	151967	416
5	KOLKATA	WEST BENGAL	128383	352
6	HYDERABAD (GHIAL)	TELANGANA	133344	365
7	COCHIN(CIAL)	KERALA	62837	172
8	AHMEDABAD	GUJARAT	58710	161
9	GOA	GOA	48548	133
10	PUNE	MAHARASHTRA	50826	139
11	LUCKNOW	UTTAR PRADESH	34637	95
12	TRIVANDRUM	KERALA	29421	81

Note: * In Aircraft Movements, landing and take-off of an aircraft are conunted separately i.e. one landing and one take-off are counted as two movements.