

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 1693
(To be answered on the 20th December 2018)**

THIRUVANANTHAPURAM AIRPORT

1693. DR. SHASHI THAROOR

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION
नागर विमानन मंत्री**

be pleased to state:-

- (a): whether there is a proposal to create a new and larger Thiruvananthapuram Airport by establishing a new site at Parassala, including detailed status of any ongoing feasibility assessments;**
(b): if so, the details of this proposal particularly regarding the amount and acquisition of required land, allocation of funds to be utilised and time-frame of completion;
(c): whether a comprehensive review has been initiated regarding the displacement of people in acquiring the necessary land; and
(d): if so, the details thereof and the consequences of the establishment of this off-city airport for the existing Thiruvananthapuram airport?

ANSWER

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

(Shri Jayant Sinha)

(a): No Madam. Government of India, Ministry of Civil Aviation has not received any proposal for development of new airport at Parassala as per Greenfield Airport Policy.

(b) to (d): Does not arise in view of (a) above.
