

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 1720  
(To be answered on the 20<sup>th</sup> December 2018)**

**UDAN SCHEME IN NER**

1720. **SHRI VINCENT H.PALA**

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION  
नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details of the new routes that have been made operational out of the 92 new routes proposed to be opened in the North Eastern Region (NER) under the UDAN scheme;
- (b) the details of the total number of new airports to come up in the NER along with the details of the projects that have already been commissioned;
- (c) the details of the funds allocated and released till date for projects under the UDAN scheme in NER; and
- (d) whether the Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) has conducted detailed inspection of all the critical airports, airfields and helipads in NER in the last three years 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): The list of North Eastern routes operational under Ude Desh Ka Aam Nagrik (UDAN) Version 1&2 is at Annexure-1.

(b): New airports to come up in North Eastern Region are Rupsi Airport, Assam and Hollongi, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, for which site clearance is awaited.

New airport commissioned in the North Eastern Region is Pakyong Airport inaugurated on 23rd September, 2018.

(c): Details of fund allocated: -

1. Rupsi Airport, Assam = 71.63 Cr
2. Shillong, Meghalaya = 30.95 Cr

(d): Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) carried out inspections of the North Eastern region licensed airports as per Annual Surveillance Plan. Besides this, various airfields/helipads considered for UDAN scheme were also inspected in last three years. List of aerodromes, airfields and helipads inspected in this period is attached as Annexure-2.

## Annexure-1

## List of North Eastern Routes operational under UDAN 1 &amp; 2

Sr. No	Departure Airport	Arrival Airport	OPERATOR	Date commenced
1	AGARTALA	SHILLONG (BARAPANI)	Deccan Charters	26-04-2018
2	DIMAPUR	SHILLONG (BARAPANI)	Deccan Charters	26-04-2018
3	SHILLONG	AGARTALA	Deccan Charters	26-04-2018
4	SHILLONG	DIMAPUR	Deccan Charters	26-04-2018
5	KOLKATA	TEZPUR	Zoom Air	26-04-2018
6	TEZPUR	KOLKATA	Zoom Air	26-04-2018
7	KOLKATA	JORHAT	Indigo	01-08-2018
8	PAKYONG	KOLKATA	Spicejet	04-10-2018
9	KOLKATA	PAKYONG	Spicejet	04-10-2018
10	JORHAT	KOLKATA	Indigo	01-08-2018
11	GUWAHATI	PAKYONG	Spicejet	28-10-2018
12	PAKYONG	GUWAHATI	Spicejet	28-10-2018



**Airports Inspected as per Annual Surveillance Plan**  
**and for licensing purpose**

<u>2016</u>		
Sl. No.	Name of airport	<u>State</u>
1.	Agartala	Tripura
2.	Dibrugarh	Assam
3.	Dimapur	Nagaland
4.	Guwahati	Assam
5.	Imphal	Manipur
6.	Lilabari	Assam
7.	Shillong	Meghalaya
8.	Lengpui	Mizoram

<u>2017</u>		
Sl. No.	Name of airport	<u>State</u>
1.	Agartala	Tripura
2.	Barapani Shillong	Meghalaya
3.	Dibrugarh	Assam
4.	Dimapur	Nagaland
5.	Guwahati	Assam
6.	Imphal	Manipur
7.	Lengpui	Mizoram
8.	Lilabari	Assam
9.	Tezu	Arunachal Pradesh
10.	Pokyong	Sikkim

<u>2018</u>		
Sl. No.	Name of airport	<u>State</u>
1.	Guwahati	Assam
2.	Imphal	Manipur
3.	Barapani, Shillong	Meghalaya
4.	Lilabari	Assam
5.	Agartala	Tripura
6.	Lengpui	Mizoram
7.	Dibrugarh	Assam
8.	Dimapur	Nagaland

**Joint Inspection of the airfields/helipads considered under UDAN scheme**

**(DGCA/AAI/BCAS/State Govt.) Airport**

Sl. No.	State	Airport
1.	Manipur	Korengai, Imphal
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	Passighat
3.	Assam	Rupsi
4.	Meghalaya	Tura
5.	Tripura	Kailashahar

**Joint Inspection (DGCA/AAI/BCAS/State Govt.) Helipads**

Sl. No.	State	Helipad
1.	Manipur	Thanlon
2.		Parbung
3.		Moreh
4.		Tamenglong
5.		Jiribam
6.	Arunachal Pradesh	Naharlagun
7.		Ziro
8.		Tuting
9.		Yingkiong
10.		Walong
11.	Assam	Nagaon