

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 878  
(To be answered on the 7<sup>th</sup> February 2019)**

**INCREASING DEMAND FOR AIR TRAVEL**

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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION**

नागर विमानन मंत्री

**be pleased to state:-**

- (a) whether the demand for air travel continues to be high as airlines reported over 18% jump in passenger traffic in June, 2018;  
(b) if so, the details thereof;  
(c) whether the domestic air passengers increased upto 11.32 million in June, 2018 as compared with 9.56 million in June, 2017; and  
(d) 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) to (d): Scheduled domestic passengers in June, 2018 was 11.29 million, exhibiting a growth of 18.4% with respect to domestic passengers in June, 2017 i.e. 9.54 million. The details are attached at Annexure.

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**ANNEXURE**

**Material for the reply of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question  
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**Part (b) & (d)**

**GROWTH IN SCHEDULED DOMESTIC PASSENGER TRAFFIC**

<b>Domestic Passengers in June 2017 (In million)</b>	<b>Domestic Passengers in June 2018 (In million)</b>	<b>Growth in Domestic Passengers over corresponding period (%)</b>
9.54	11.29	18.36