GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 3144
(To be answered on the 11th July 2019)

ALLOTMENT OF SLOTS FOR AIRLINES

3144.   SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJI KUNDARIYA

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

(a) whether a number of slots along with schedule per airport of recently defunct airline, across the country are lying vacant and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether any request for allotment of slot has been made to the competent authority at New Delhi to operate everyday an additional Delhi-Rajkot-Delhi flight and if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon; and

(c) whether any mechanism is being worked out for allotment of slots of the defunct airline and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

Minister of State (IC) in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION
नागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (स्वतंत्र प्रभार)   **(Shri Hardeep Singh Puri)**

(a): Yes, Sir. The details are at Annexure-I.

(b): Yes, Sir. Airports Authority of India (AAI) had received the request from Air India for operation of flight at Delhi-Rajkot-Delhi route. However, the same was denied by AAI as the requested times (arrival and departure) at Rajkot were beyond watch hours.

(c): The Government has constituted a Slot Allocation Committee having representatives from DGCA, AAI and JV/Private Airport operators for allocation of domestic slots vacated by Jet Airways to other scheduled airlines on adhoc basis in most transparent and equitable manner, as per the Standard Operating Procedure devised for the purpose.

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S No .	Airport	No . of slots unused at AAI Airports due to temporary suspension of operation by a scheduled airlines
1	AHMEDABAD	8
2	ALLAHABAD	4
3	AMRITSAR	8
4	AURANGABAD	4
5	BAGDOGRA	2
6	BHOPAL	2
7	BHUJ	4
8	CHANDIGARH	4
9	CHENNAI	34
10	COIMBATORE	8
11	DEHRADUN	6
12	GOA	2
13	GUWAHATI	12
14	IMPHAL	2
15	INDORE	18
16	JAIPUR	5
17	JODHPUR	10
18	KHAJURAHO	2
19	KOLKATA	8
20	CALICUT	2
21	LEH	2
22	LUCKNOW	12
23	MANGALORE	6
24	PORT BLAIR	2
25	PUNE	10
26	RAJKOT	6
27	SRINAGAR	2
28	TRIVANDRUM	4
29	UDAIPUR	6
30	VADODARA	10
31	VARANASI	4
	Total	209