

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. : 222
(To be answered on the 22nd December 2022)**

DIGI YATRA FACILITY

***222. SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV
SHRI MANOJ TIWARI**

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

be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Government has introduced Digi Yatra for digital travel experience based on facial biometrics on airports in the country and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) the names of airports in which such a facility is currently being provided, airport-wise;**
- (c) the names of the domestic and international airlines which would provide Digi Yatra facility to the passengers in the country, airlines-wise;**
- (d) whether the Government has developed a Digi Yatra app to facilitate the passengers and if so, the details thereof; and**
- (e) the steps being taken by the Government to start Digi Yatra in all the airports across the country to facilitate the passengers and reduce the burden of cumbersome check-in and boarding process along with the time by which such facility would be operational?**

ANSWER

**Minister of CIVIL AVIATION
नागर विमानन मंत्री**

(Shri Jyotiraditya M. Scindia)

(a) to (e) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred in the reply to Lok Sabha Starred (*) Question No. 222 for 22.12.2022 regarding "Digi Yatra"

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. Digi Yatra has been launched on 01.12.2022 at Delhi, Bangalore and Varanasi Airports for providing passengers seamless and hassle-free experience based on facial biometrics.

(c) Digi Yatra Facility is only for domestic airlines. Presently, all domestic airlines at Delhi and Bangalore Airports are providing this facility. At Varanasi Airport, the facility is currently provided by Indigo, Vistara and Air India.

(d) Yes, Sir. Digi Yatra App has been developed to facilitate the passengers. The same is available on android as well as iOS platform.

(e) The implementation of Digi Yatra under phase I is planned at Kolkata, Pune, Vijayawada and Hyderabad Airports by March 2023. It is to be implemented across various airports in the country in phased manner.
