GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.: 1263 (To be answered on the 9th February 2023)

FLIGHT OPERATIONS AT LUCKNOW AIRPORT

1263. SHRI DEEPAK BAIJ

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether it is a fact that the flight operations at Lucknow airport is monitored solely with the help of the automatic device by the employees of Air Traffic Control (ATC) deployed during the night shift and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the number of equipments found dysfunctional at Lucknow airport in the nocturnal hours:
- (c) whether the flights are more prone to crash/accidents due to malfunctioning of such equipments; and
- (d) if so, the details of the steps taken to thwart such incidents at the other small airports?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION वागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD))

- (a): Lucknow airport is manned and equipped to handle the present traffic requirements at the airport without compromising on safety.
- (b): No such instrument/ equipment is dysfunctional at Lucknow Airport.
- (c) & (d): No, Sir. Even in case of failure of any equipment, redundancies are available. Additionally, alternate established procedures are also available to ensure safety of the flight operations.
