

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 2701  
(To be answered on the 16<sup>th</sup> March 2023)**

**AIRPORT AT JOGIGHOPA**

**2701. SHRI ABDUL KHALEQUE**

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION**

**नागर विमानन मंत्री**

**be pleased to state:-**

**(a) whether the Government proposes to set up an airport at Jogighopa, Multi Model Logistic Parks (MMLPs), if so, the time by which the works will be started; and**

**(b) the number of people likely to get direct and indirect employment after its completion?**

**ANSWER**

**Minister of CIVIL AVIATION**

**नागर विमानन मंत्री**

**(Shri Jyotiraditya M. Scindia)**

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**(a): Government of India (GoI) has formulated a Greenfield Airports (GFA) Policy, 2008 which prescribes the procedure and conditions for development of a new Greenfield airport in the country. As per the Policy, a State Government or an Airport Developer, willing to establish an airport, is required to send a proposal to the Ministry of Civil Aviation (MoCA) for 2-stages approval i.e. 'Site-Clearance' followed by 'In-Principle' approval. Such proposals are considered by MoCA as per the procedure stipulated in the GFA Policy. As of now, no proposal has been received for construction of a Greenfield Airport at Jogighopa, either from State Government concerned or any other Airport Developer.**

**(b): Does not arise.**

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