GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 748 (To be answered on the 7th December 2023)

TERMINAL BUILDING AT VIJAYAWADA AIRPORT

748. SHRI KESINENI SRINIVAS

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION

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be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details of the progress in construction of the Integrated Terminal Building at the Vijayawada Airport;
- (b) the details of the revised schedule for completion of the project;
- (c) whether the construction of the airport is behind schedule, if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the details of the estimated project cost, the funds sanctioned and the funds utilized so far?

ANSWER

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

- (a): The construction of New Integrated Terminal Building and associated works has been taken up by the Airports Authority of India (AAI) at a cost of Rs.611.80 crore at Vijayawada Airport. As on 31.10.2023, the physical progress of the project work is 40%.
- (b): The Probable Date of Completion of the project is in June, 2024.
- (c): Yes, Sir. The delay in the project timeline is attributed to the COVID-19 pandemic and unforeseen natural calamities like heavy rainfall and cyclones in the region.
- (d): Out of the total sanctioned cost of Rs.611.80 crore for the project, AAI has utilized an amount of Rs.224.46 crore as on 31.10.2023.
