

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 1794  
(To be answered on the 28<sup>th</sup> November 2019)**

**PRIVATISATION OF AIRPORTS**

**1794. SHRI KARTI P. CHIDAMBARAM**

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION**

**नागर विमानन मंत्री**

**be pleased to state:-**

- (a) whether the contracts for the privatisation of Bhubaneswar, Varanasi, Indore, Trichy, Amritsar and Raipur airports have been granted and if so, the details thereof;**  
**(b) whether the Ministry has any plans for the privatisation of Chennai airport; and**  
**(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

**Minister of State (IC) in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION**

**नागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (स्वतंत्र प्रभार)**

**(Shri Hardeep Singh Puri)**

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- (a) : No, Sir. However, Airports Authority of India (AAI) Board in its meeting held on 05.09.2019 has recommended for leasing out 06 airports namely Amritsar, Varanasi, Bhubaneswar, Indore, Raipur and Trichy for Operation, Management and Development under Public Private Partnership (PPP).**  
**(b) & (c): No, Sir. At present there is no proposal to lease out Chennai Airport under PPP.**

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