

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 4038
(To be answered on the 12th December 2019)

EXPANSION OF SALEM AIRPORT

4038. SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R.

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION

नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Government has begun the land acquisition for expansion of the Salem Airport, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has any plan to utilise the unused 1500 acres land of Salem Steel Plant; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

नागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (स्वतंत्र पक्ष)

(Shri Hardeep Singh Puri)

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- (a): Generally, land for airport projects is provided by concerned State Government/ Union Territory (UT) Administration to Airports Authority of India (AAI) free of cost and free from all encumbrances. For development/expansion of Salem Airport, AAI has projected a land requirement of 446 acre to the State Government of Tamil Nadu.
- (b): No, Sir. no such proposal is under consideration in Ministry of Civil Aviation/AAI at present.
- (c): Does not arise.
