GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 797
(TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 2nd December 2021)
STEPS FOR SAFETY OF PASSENGERS

797.   SHRI VELUSAMY P.

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION
नागर विमानन मंत्री   **be pleased to state:**

(a) whether Airport Authority of India (AAI) has installed the Airport Operations Control Centre (AOCC) in Chennai which allows airport officials, security agencies and other stakeholders to see the live feeds about ground and air operations throughout India except Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru and Hyderabad and if so, the details thereof;
(b) whether the above mentioned metros are unable to anticipate and prepare for flight delays and disruptions;
(c) if so, the steps taken by the Government to ensure safety and convenience of the passengers traveling to and from Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru and Hyderabad;
(d) whether the AOCC will be interlinked to these cities; and
(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION

नागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री   (GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD))

(a) Yes, Sir. Airports Authority of India (AAI) has installed Airport Operations Control Center (AOCC) in Chennai. AOCC, which is airport specific, is integrated with Air Traffic Control (ATC) systems and enables monitoring of the live feed on ground and air operations at the airport.

(b) & (c): No Sir. AOCC is in operation at Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru and Hyderabad airports as well which allows the airport to function safely and conveniently.

(d) & (e): It is specific to each airport. AOCC of different cities can not be interlinked.

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