

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 2906  
(To be answered on the 8<sup>th</sup> August 2024)**

**AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE ENGINEERING SCHOOLS**

**2906. SHRI KESINENI SIVANATH**

**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION**

**नागर विमानन मंत्री**

**be pleased to state:-**

- (a) the number of aircraft maintenance engineering schools that have been licensed by the DGCA;  
(b) the number of aircraft maintenance engineers that have been certified in the country, year-wise  
(c) whether these certifications are regarded as a degree or diploma; and  
(d) 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**

**(Shri Murlidhar Mohol)**

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(a) Presently, 57 Aircraft Maintenance Engineering (AME) training institutes have been approved by Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) under Civil Aviation Requirement (CAR) - 147 (basic) to impart maintenance training.

(b) Total number of aircraft maintenance engineers license issued by DGCA is 16092. The number of license issued by DGCA (year-wise) in last five years are as under:

Year	No. of license issued
2019	350
2020	296
2021	228
2022	304
2023	256
2024 (upto 1st Aug 2024)	211

(c) & (d) An AME license is a professional license and is neither a degree nor a diploma. A person is issued an AME license in accordance with standards

**laid down by International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) and related Indian regulations which allow the holder to carry out maintenance on the aircraft and its engine and thereafter certify the aircraft for operations**

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