GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.: 3990 (To be answered on the 19th December 2024)

AIR SERVICES FROM HAMIRGARH AIRSTRIP

3990. SHRI DAMODAR AGRAWAL

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION

नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details of facilities being provided by the Government for starting air services at Hamirgarh airstrip in Bhilwara at present;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to start commercial flight services from the said airstrip;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the people and public representatives of that region had demanded to start commercial flight services from the said airstrip previously; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the efforts made by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION नागर विमानन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (Shri Murlidhar Mohol)

(a) to (e): Regional Connectivity Scheme - Ude Desh Ka Aam Nagrik (RCS-UDAN) is an market-driven ongoing scheme where bidding rounds are conducted from time to time to cover more destinations/stations and routes. Interested airlines, based on their assessment of demand on particular routes, submit their proposals at the time of bidding under UDAN. An airport which is included in the awarded routes of UDAN and requires upgradation/development for commencement of UDAN operations, is developed under the 'Revival of unserved and underserved airports' scheme. Hamirgarh (Bhilwara) airstrip in Rajasthan is listed in the list of unserved airstrips in the UDAN (Ude Desh Ka Aam Nagrik) document. However, no routes connecting the Hamirgarh (Bhilwara) airstrip were awarded to any airline for the operation of RCS flights till the completion of five rounds of bidding.
