GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

Lok Sabha

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.: 2489 (TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 13th March 2025)

DEVELOPMENT OF MAHARANA PRATAP AIRPORT

2489. SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH JOSHI Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION

be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details of the proposals that have been approved by the Government for the development of Maharana Pratap airport, Udaipur;
- (b) the details of the works that have been carried out for the development of Udaipur airport during the last ten years;
- (c) the details of the flights currently being operated from the said airport; and
- (d) whether any proposal is pending within the Ministry regarding the operation of international flights from Udaipur airport, if so, the factors responsible therefor?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION (Shri Murlidhar Mohol)

(a): The expansion and upgradation of airports is a continuous process and is undertaken by the Airport Operators from time to time depending on the availability of land, commercial viability, socio-economic considerations, traffic demand / willingness of airlines to operate to/from such airports. The Airports Authority of India (AAI) has undertaken construction of New Integrated Terminal Building at Udaipur Airport at an estimated cost of Rs.887.00 Crore.

(b): The details of works done for the development of Udaipur Airport during the last ten years are at Annexure.

(c): At present, Indigo, Alliance Air, Air India are operating flights from Udaipur Airport connecting Ahmedabad, Bengaluru, Mumbai, Shamshabad, Delhi, Jaipur and Indore.;

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(d): Udaipur Airport is a domestic airport. Declaration of an airport as an International Airport depends upon traffic potential, demand from airlines for the operation of international flights, and bilateral Air Services Agreement besides provision of Ground Lighting facilities, Instrument Landing System, runway length, Immigration, Health and Animal & Plant Quarantine services etc. Currently, no such proposal for declaration of Maharana Pratap Airport, Udaipur as an International Airport is under consideration in the Ministry of Civil Aviation.

(Statement reffered to in reply of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2489 for 13.03.2025)

Sl. No.	Name of work	Date of Completion	
1	Shifting and Construction of Hydrozen room for metrological department at Udaipur Airport	May-15	
2	Construction of Dog kennel at Udaipur Airport	Feb-16	
3	Construction of four (04) Nos. Security Watch Tower at Udaipur Airport	May-16	
4	Construction of CISF barrack at Udaipur Airport	Apr-17	
5	Grading and levelling of operational area including construction of RESA and storm water drain system with Rain water harvesting system at Udaipur Airport	Jun-18	
6	Construction of of new boundary wall due to handing over the vested land with NHAI adjoining to NH-76 at Udaipur Airport	Apr-18	
7	Construction of Apron, Link Taxi way and expansion of Isolation bay including allied works at Maharana Pratap Airport Udaipur	Jan-20	
8	Additional civil works for operationlization of new apron and link taxiway at Udaipur Airport	Nov-19	
9	Strengthening of old turning pads at runway 08 & 26 side at Udaipur Airport	Jun-18	
10	Extension of apron in front of hanger of Charlie taxi at Udaipur Airport	Feb-19	
11	Strengthening and re carpeting of operational perimeter road and construction of road between crash gates & runway at 08 & 26 end of runway at Udaipur Airport	Nov-19	
12	Construction of DVOR at Udaipur Airport	Jan-20	
13	Runway resurfacing, providing fillets and turn pads for B-777 VIP Flight operations	Dec-22	