

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3966  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.12.2015**

**HAJ EMBARKATION POINTS**

**†3966. SHRIMATI KAMLA DEVI PAATLE:**

**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the embarkation points for Haj pilgrims set up in the country;**
- (b) whether the government has received representations regarding the problems being faced by the Haj pilgrims in Chhattisgarh and adjacent States due to the distance to the office in Nagpur; and**
- (c) if so, the action taken/proposed to be taken thereon?**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
[GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD)]**

- (a) There are 21 embarkation points for Haj pilgrims in the country, i.e. Ahmedabad, Aurangabad, Bengaluru, Bhopal, Chennai, Cochin, Delhi, Gaya, Goa, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Indore, Jaipur, Kolkata, Lucknow, Mangalore, Mumbai, Nagpur, Ranchi, Srinagar & Varanasi.**
- (b) No such representations have been received by the Government in this regard.**
- (c) Does not arise.**

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