

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. : 1173  
(To be answered on the 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2016)

SHORTAGE OF X-RAY MACHINES

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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION  
नागर विमानन मंत्री

be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether there is shortage of x-ray machines to check the smuggled goods in the passenger/cargo terminals of the airports of the country;  
(b) if so, the details thereof; and  
(c) the corrective steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION  
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(Dr Mahesh Sharma)

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- (a) : No, Madam. However, the Government purchases/hires the X-Ray baggage inspection system based on the requirement.  
(b) & (c) : Do not arise

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