

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION  
LOK SABHA  
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SECURITY AT AIRPORTS

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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION  
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be pleased to state:-

- (a): whether the Government has assessed the security at various airports and reviewed preparations of different layers of security mechanism at the airports in the country in view of terrorist threats;
- (b): if so, the details thereof;
- (c): whether the Government proposes to form a special dedicated trained force for airport security operations in the country;
- (d): if so, the details thereof; and
- (e): the details of airports in the country which do not have CISF security cover and reasons for the same?

ANSWER

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(a)& (b): Yes, Madam. Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS), the regulatory authority for Civil Aviation security in the country, conducts regular audits and inspections to ensure that the various regulations regarding security are carried out on the ground. Security audits/inspections/surprise tests are carried out by teams of officers led by BCAS as per the laid down procedures. The audits and inspections of their own operations are conducted by airport operators, cargo operators, airlines and Aviation Security Group to ensure compliance of responsibilities assigned to respective agencies.

(c), (d) & (e): To address the issue of creation of Aviation Security Force, a study was conducted in 2011, through a study team of International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), which inter-alia recommended for creation of a dedicated Aviation Security Force. Pursuant to the recommendations made by Committee of Secretaries (CoS) and based on prioritization of Airports, CISF has been deployed at 59 Airports in India till date. A list of Civil Airports in the country which do not have CISF security cover, but covered by other Security agencies, is annexed.

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## Details of airports which are not manned by CISF

Sl. No.	Name of Airport	State/UT	Name of the Security Agency/Force
1	Puttaparthi	Andhra Pradesh	State Police
2	Rajamundry	Andhra Pradesh	State Police
3	Vijayawada	Andhra Pradesh	State Police
4	Kadapa	Andhra Pradesh	State Police
5	Jamnagar	Gujarat	State Police
6	Kandla	Gujarat	State Police
7	Surat	Gujarat	State Police
8	Jammu	J & K	State Police and CRPF
9	Srinagar	J & K	State Police and CRPF
10	KBR Airport Leh	J & K	State Police and CRPF
11	Jamshedpur	Jharkhand	State Police
12	Belgaum	Karnataka	State Police & Karnataka State Industrial Security Force (KSISF)
13	Hubli	Karnataka	State Police & KSISF
14	Mysore	Karnataka	State Police
15	Agatti	Lakshadweep	UT Police
16	Jabalpur	Madhya Pradesh	State Police
17	Kolhapur	Maharashtra	State Police
18	Nanded	Maharashtra	State Police
19	Nasik	Maharashtra	State Police
20	Lengpui	Mizoram	State Police and CRPF
21	Puduchery/Pondicherry	Pondicherry	Indian Reserve Battalion (IRBn.)
22	Ludhiana	Punjab	State Police
23	Pathankot	Punjab	State Police
24	Kota	Rajasthan	State Police
25	Jaisalmer	Rajasthan	State Police
26	Tuticourion	Tamil Nadu	State Police
27	Salem	Tamil Nadu	State Police
28	Allahabad	Uttar Pradesh	State Police
29	Gorakhpur	Uttar Pradesh	State Police
30	Pant Nagar	Uttarakhand	State Police
31	Cooch Behar	West Bengal	State Police
32	Durgapur	West Bengal	State Police