

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4495

TO BE ANSWERED ON FRIDAY 12th AUGUST, 2016
SHRAVANA 21, 1938 [SAKA]

Smuggling of Gold

4495. SHRI RAMDAS C. TADAS:

- (a) the number of gold smugglers nabbed with the cooperation of crew members of airlines of other countries during the last one year;
- (b) whether crew members of some of the airlines are also involved in gold smuggling and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken against such crew members, airline-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) NIL.

(b) & (c) Yes. The details are given as under:-

Year	Name of the Airline	Number of Crew members involved	Action taken
2015-16	Qatar Airways	01	Arrests were made and action taken as per the Customs Act, 1962.
	Jet Airways	02	
	Virgin Atlantic	02	
