

Bhubaneswar airport has not been declared as an International airport. However, construction of a new Terminal Building with world class facilities which includes aerobridges, CCTV system, inline baggage handling system, lifts and elevators, conveyors with built in weighing machines for check-in-counters etc. has been taken up by Airports Authority of India (AAI) at a cost of Rs. 145.54 crores, which is scheduled to be completed by April, 2012.

This airport has been designated as a point of call for international operations for some foreign airlines. The Indian carriers are eligible to operate the foreign destinations from any point in India as per the respective bilateral air services agreements with concerned foreign countries. However, actual operations by any airlines is always guided by its commercial judgment.

Upgradation of airports in Non-metro cities

1891. SHRIMATI SHOBHANA BHARTIA: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is considering to expedite plans for upgradation of airports in 35 non-metro cities which is crucial to handle the increasing passenger and cargo air traffic in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government is in a position to suggest a new deadline for upgradation of Chennai airport which earlier stood at June, 2011 and has been missed;

(d) whether the Kolkata airport upgradation deadline of August, 2011 is going to be met; and

(e) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The details are given in the statement (See below).

(c) The revised date of completion of the Chennai airport modernization project is December, 2011.

(d) and (e) The revised date of completion of the Kolkata airport modernization project is March, 2012.

Statement
Upgradation of airports in 35 non metro cities

Work in progress

S.No.	Name of Schemes	Amount Sanctioned (Rs. in crores)	Progress made upto 31.07.2011	The time by which likely to be completed
1	2	4	5	5
Northern Region				
1	Chandigarh Development of Chandigarh International Airport Ph-I, Mohali	452.00		Dec-11
2	Jaisalmer Construction of apron and link taxi track including modification of terminal building	81.00	73%	Dec.-11
3	Jammu Extension of Apron	15.00	9.5%	March-12
4	Khajuraho Construction of New Terminal Building	75.32	29%	December-11
5	Lucknow Construction of New Integrated Terminal Building	129.38	93%	September-11
Eastern Region				
6	Ranchi Construction of New Integrated Passenger Terminal Building	137.79	86%	December-11

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7	Bhubaneswar Construction of New Integrated Passenger Terminal Building	145.54	40%	April-12
8	Portblair Construction of Hangar, Annexe Building, Apron and Link Taxiway etc.	5.34	21%	September-11
9	Patna Re-carpetting of Runway, taxiway & apron and allied works at JPNl Airport.	23.08	99.5%	August-11
10	Raipur Construction of New Expandable Modular integrated Terminal Building,	135.72	82%	December-11
North Eastern Region				
11	Agartala Construction of Control Tower	9.67	46%	December-11
12	Daparizo Construction of Daparizo Airport			
13	Itanagar Construction of New Airport	812.00		48 months after award of work
14	Imphal Construction of New Apron	11.83	46%	September-11
15	Pakyong Construction of New Airport at Pakyong, Sikkim. (SH:Earth work in cutting and filling, geogrid reinforced retaining wall, drainage system including box culvert, aerodrom pavement etc.)	309.00	48.5%	December-12
16	TEZU Extension and strengthening of runway, construction of apron and terminal building along with allied structure	79.00		June-23

Western Region

17	Jalgaon				
	Construction of runway, taxi track and parking bays	61.00	80%	Nov-11	
18	Gondia				
	Extension of Runway	42.19	4%	March-12	
	Construction of IInd module of Passenger lounge	12.97	25%	November-12	
19	Goa				
	New International Terminal, Car Park, Extension of Apron and Allied Works	330.02	21%	December-12	
20	Vadodara				
	Construction of New Terminal Building	115.97	1%	October-12	

Southern Region

21	Agatti				
	a) Strengthening of runway at Agatti	11.26		Completed	
	b) Development of Agatti Airport				
22	Cuddapah				
	Construction of New Modular Terminal Building	40.40	40%	December-11	
23	Puducherry				
	Construction of Passenger Terminal Building	29.87	30%	December-11	
24	Rajamundry				
	Construction of New Terminal Building including Car Park	43.29	95%	September-11	
25	Tirupati				
	Construction of New Apron	174.00	46.4%	March-12	
	Construction of New Integrated Terminal Building		0.1%	February-13	