GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION **RAJYA SABHA** UNSTARRED QUESTION NO: 645 (TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 29th July 2024)

IMPROVING SECURITY AT AIRPORTS

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

- (a) the steps taken for improving security across airports across the country, including the use of technology; and
- (b) whether there has been an increase in strength of CISF for improved security?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

(Shri Murlidhar Mohol)

- (a): All the airports in India are provided with security equipment like CCTV, ATRS/X-BIS, DFMDs, HHMDs and ETDs etc. Some of the major airports are equipped with upgraded security systems and equipment like Dual View XBIS, Biometric Access Control System, Queue Management System, ATRS (Automotive Tray Retrieval System), PIDS (Perimeter Intrusion Detection System), Remote Screening and Digi Yatra- Face recognition based access.
- (b): Yes, the sanctioned strength of CISF of 34587 in 2022 has been increased presently to 41357. CISF manpower augmentation at airports is done based on survey/resurvey done by a committee led by BCAS.