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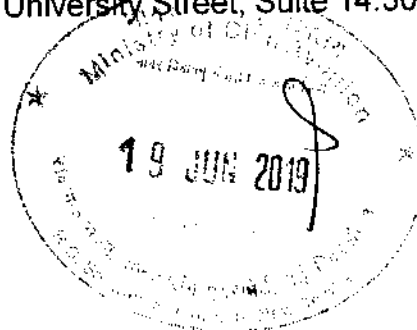
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Detailed Monthly information for the month of May, 2019

Important Policy decisions taken and major achievements during the month:

1. Ministry of Civil Aviation

A. Passengers carried by domestic airlines during Jan-Apr, 2019 were **464.47 lakhs** as against **453.03 lakhs** during the corresponding period of previous year thereby registering a growth of **2.53%**

B. **Handling the fallout of grounding of aircraft:** Although scheduled airline aircraft capacity to the tune of 100 aircraft is being added annually, a series of unrelated events led to the progressive grounding of 122 aircraft registered with M/s. Jet Airways and M/s. Jet Lite with temporary suspension of the companies' full operations with effect from 17 April 2019 (midnight) due to financial difficulties. Another 18 Boeing 737-Max aircraft were grounded with effect from 13 March 2019 as a result of safety concerns raised in India and globally after the two fatal accidents of this aircraft-type operated by M/s Lion Air at Jakarta, Indonesia on 29 October 2018 and M/s. Ethiopian Airline at Addis Ababa, Ethiopia on 10 March 2019. In tandem, for each of the few serious safety incidents seen in 2018-19 in Airbus A320-Neo fitted with PW1100G engines operated in India, swift mitigating actions were taken by the safety regulator, Director General of Civil Aviation on all counts.

DGCA also took up monitoring critical parameters of Jet Airways/ Jet Lite in view of financial instability since October 2018. To reduce inconvenience to passengers and facilitate induction of additional capacity, some slots progressively vacated by Jet Airways/Jet Lite have been allotted to other domestic carriers on temporary basis for a period of 3 months. Committee of stakeholders was constituted for slots' allocation in an equitable and transparent manner.

Notably, for serving passenger interests and bridging the vacuum in seats-availability created by suspension of operations by Jet Airways, the Ministry in coordination with Customs authorities moved to remove the restrictions on re-leasing such de-registered aircraft to other domestic carriers without first exporting them out of India. It created a win-win situation for new lessee airlines, lessors and most importantly, the public at large. Resultantly, practically one aircraft capacity a day has thus been added to the Indian aviation skies since 18 April 2019. 42 inductions, as of 31 May 2019, by way of new aircraft or re-registrations of erstwhile Jet Airways aircraft have taken place. It has been ensured that a higher tally of aircraft is operating as compared to previous year 31 May 2018.

C. Probity Data for the month of April 2019:

Sl. No.	Particulars	BCAS	CRS	DGCA	MoCA	Total
1	Cases pending for SP (Sanction of Prosecution)	00	00	00	00	00

2	Posts declared as sensitive posts (No.)	405	00	557	23	985
3	No. of person occupying sensitive posts beyond 3 years	22	00	04	10	36
4	Whether rotation policy implemented? (Y/N)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
5	Whether practice of conducting interviews for Group B (Non Gazetted) posts has been done away(Y/N)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
6	Whether practice of conducting interview for Group C & D posts has been done away (Y/N)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
FR 56 (J)						
7	Total No. of officers due for review/required to be reviewed under 56 (J)/Similar provisions GR 'A'	12	00	00	00	12
8	Total No. of officers due for review/required to be reviewed under 56 (J)/Similar provisions GR 'B'	07	00	00	06	13
9	No. of officers reviewed GR 'A'	00	00	00	00	00
10	No. of officers reviewed GR 'B'	00	00	00	00	00
11	No. of officers against whom FR 56(J)/Similar provisions invoked GR 'A'	00	00	00	00	00
12	No. of officers against whom FR 56(J)/Similar provisions invoked GR 'B'	00	00	00	00	00

2. Director General of Civil Aviation (DGCA)

A. The following CARs have been revised during the month of May, 2019:-

- (i) Revision of Para 2.5, 2.6 & 5.5 of CAR Section 7, Series C, Part I for Civil Aviation Requirements dated 12th October, 2017
- (ii) CAR Section 7, Series G, Part IV was amended and uploaded on DGCA website with effective date 01 July, 2019

B.

- (i) **874** Licenses / Ratings were issued including **25** FATA issued and **405** Endorsements.
- (ii) **953** Flight Clearances including **01** tourist charter flights issued during the month of May, 2019.
- (iii) **01**- No. of New Non-Scheduled Operating Permit issued.

- (iv) **09** - No. of Scheduled Operating Certificate renewed.
- (v) **01** - No. of Non-Scheduled Operating Permit renewed.
- (vi) **01** - No. of Non-Scheduled Operating Permit re-certified as per CAP 3300/3400.
- (vii) **31** - No. of Permission to import/acquire aircraft issued.

C.

(i)	Surveillance/Inspection of FTOs	-	02
(ii)	Approval of CFI	-	03
(iii)	Approval of Dy. CFI	-	03
(iv)	Approval of CGI	-	01

D.

- (i) Type Acceptance issued to following Contracting State Supplemental Type Certificate/Major Change Approved for incorporation of modifications in Indian registered aircraft:

Airplane

- Hawker Beechcraft Corporation aircraft model 400A
- Bombardier aircraft model BD-700-1A10 Global XRS

Helicopter

- Bell Helicopter model 505 (for installation of Headliner)

3. Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS)

- A. **43** Security Monitoring/surprise checks carried out;
- B. **07** Security Tests carried out to test the efficacy of security system;
- C. **04** Security Survey of airports carried out.
- D. **19** Security Vetting of airports carried out.
- E. **25** aviation security training programme conducted for **909**; and
- F. **16** Approval of security programme accorded to SOP/Private/NSOP/Concessionaire.

4. Airports Authority of India (AAI)

- A. The Airports Authority of India (AAI) has earned a profit of Rs.194.71 crores after deduction of tax during the month of May, 2019.
- B. Extension and strengthening of Runway completed at Vijayawada Airport at a cost of Rs. 98.58 Cr. on 30.05.2019
- C. Construction of new ceremonial lounge completed at Chennai Airport. Chennai at a cost: Rs. 5.41 Cr. on 10.05.2019

D. Work awarded for:

- (i) Construction of New Terminal Building, ATC Tower, Technical Block-cum-Fire Station Building, E & M Workshop, Service Block, DVOR and other Building works at Deoghar Airport, Jharkhand at a cost of Rs. 61.28 crores on 27.05.2019.
- (ii) Widening & Grading of basic strip of Runway, construction of perimeter road, storm water drain and operational boundary wall at Khajuraho Airport at a cost of Rs. 16.74 crores on 06.05.2019.
- (iii) Extension of Terminal Building at Surat Airport. SH: Detailed Designing, Engineering, Procurement and construction for Civil, Electrical, Mechanical, Plumbing, Fire Fighting, HVAC, Airport System, IT, Furniture and Furnishing, Pavements and Ancillary Works at a cost of Rs. 138.48 crores on 27.05.2019.
- (iv) Construction of New Domestic Terminal Building, ATC Tower cum Technical Block cum Fire Station and Associated works at Kolhapur Airport at a cost of Rs. 60.53 crores on 27.05.2019.
- (v) Upgradation of Jabalpur Airport to make it suitable for operation of AB-320 type of Aircraft. Construction of New Terminal Building, ATC Tower Cum Technical Block, Fire Station Category-VII, other Buildings and associated works at Jabalpur Airport, Jabalpur at a cost of Rs. 140.49 crores on 27.05.2019.

E. The Chairman, AAI unveiled the "Review of Traffic at Indian Airports: 2018-19". The broader highlights of the document are as follows:

- (i) Overall aircraft movements at all Indian airports during the year 2018-19 were 2.60 million which includes 0.45 million international aircraft movements and 2.15 million domestic aircraft movements. While overall growth of 12.1% was observed in aircraft movements, International and domestic aircraft movements have witnessed the growth of 3.4% and 14.1% respectively during 2018-19 as compared to 2017-18.
- (ii) Total passenger traffic handled at all Indian airports reached a new high of 344.69 million passengers, which included 69.48 million international and 275.21 million domestic passengers. Total passengers traffic witnessed growth of 11.6%, International and domestic passenger traffic have witnessed growth of 6.1% and 13.1% respectively during 2018-19 as compared to 2017-18.
- (iii) The total freight handled at all Indian airports during 2018-19 was 3.56 million tonnes, which includes 2.20 million tonnes of International freight and 1.36 million tonnes of domestic freight. During the year 2018-19, the total freight traffic witnessed growth of 6.1%. International and domestic freight have

registered a growth of 2.6% and 12.3% respectively as compared to 2017-18.

F. Workshop on Cyber Security of Aviation stakeholders

One day workshop was organized through National Critical Information infrastructure Protection Centre (NCIIPC) for Govt. stakeholders of Ministry of Civil aviation. The workshop was conducted on 22nd May 2019 at Indian Aviation Academy and was attended by representatives from Ministry of civil aviation, DGCA, AAI, Air India & RGNAU.

5. Air India Ltd.

A. Operational Fleet Size

	As on 31.05.2019
Air India	127
Air India express	25
Alliance Air	19
Total	171

B. Air India Market Share:

Sector	Market Share (%)
International (Mar 2019)	17.80
Domestic (Apr 2019)	13.90

C. On Time Performance for the month of May, 2019

Month	Domestic OTP (%)	International OTP (%)	OVERALL OTP (%)
May-19	83.8	78.6	81.8

6. Commission of Railway Safety (CRS)

- A. During **May 2019**, **twenty three (23)** statutory inspections were conducted before opening of lines for public carriage of passengers.
- B. During **May 2019**, **ten (10)** Periodical or other Inspections of Railways made by the Commissioner of Railway Safety.
- C. During **May 2019**, **459** Minor Works and **03** case of Rolling Stocks (RS) have been sanctioned.

D. Status of implementation of e-Governance:

Total No. of files	Total No. of e-files
580	542 (Digitization/Migration of remaining files is under progress)

7. Status of Public Grievances in MoCA

No. of Public Grievances redressed during the month	No. of Grievances pending at the end of the month
864	434
