

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION BUREAU
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION
SAFDARJUNG AIRPORT, NEW DELHI

File No. :- Av.15020/06/2018-AAIB

Dated:- 31/07/2018

Order -Special Incident

Whereas Airbus 320 aircraft VT-ITW of M/s Interglobe Ltd (Indigo) operating flight from Vishakhapatnam to Bengaluru and Airbus Hawk aircraft of Indian Navy operating flight from Vishakhapatnam - Bengaluru - Vishakhapatnam met with an RA incident in Chennai Airspace on 21.05.2018.

And whereas it appears to the Aircraft Accident Investigation Bureau (India) that it is expedient to investigate as a special incident and determine the causes and contributory factors leading to the such incident and make recommendations to avoid reoccurrence of such incidents in future.

Now, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Rule 11 (1) of the Aircraft (Accident and Incidents Investigation) Rules 2017, the Director General-AAIB hereby directs that a formal inquiry of the said special incident be held.

The Director General- AAIB is pleased to appoint Dr. Jitender Loura, Deputy Director, AAIB as Investigator – in – Charge with following investigator to inquire into the circumstances of this serious incident.

1. Sh. Raje Bhatnagar, Assistant Director – AAIB
2. A Nominee of the Indian Navy/Commanding Officer, INS DEGA, NAD Post, Vizag.

The Investigator – in -Charge will also take the assistance of other experts/agencies whenever required.

The headquarters of the Investigation will be at New Delhi.

The Investigator-in-Charge will complete its inquiry and submit its report to the AAIB, India preferably within six months.



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Director General

Aircraft Accident Investigation Bureau

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1. Dr. Jitender Loura, Deputy Director, AAIB
2. Shri. Raje Bhatnagar, Assistant Director, AAIB
3. Chairman, AAI (Kind Attn: Shri A K Dutta, Member, ANS)
4. DGCA, (Kind Attn: Sh. Lalit Gupta, Jt.DG)
5. Accountable Manager, M/s Interglobe Ltd.
6. Commanding Officer, INS DEGA, NAD Post, Vizag (with a request to nominate one Officer as an Investigator)
7. PS to HMCA.
8. PSO to Secretary.
9. Sr.PPS to AS & FA.
10. Sr.PS to JS(SKM).
11. PS to Dir (SN)
12. Sr. Tech. Director NIC, MoCA
13. DG Section, MoCA
14. IT Section, MoCA with the request to upload the order on website of MoCA and AAIB.
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(Dr. Jitender Loura)

Deputy Director

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