



Gujarat Govt Orders Quarterly Inspections of All Helipads to Ensure Operational Readiness

Helipads play a vital role in disaster management, medical emergencies, relief and rescue operations, and visits by dignitaries. To ensure their immediate and smooth use during emergencies, the State Government has directed concerned officials to ensure regular and strict maintenance of all existing helipads across Gujarat.

Under new guidelines issued through an official circular by the State Government's Roads and Buildings Department, every helipad in the State will now be inspected at least once every three months to ensure operational readiness. Any defects or repair requirements identified during inspections will be addressed immediately.

The concerned Executive Engineers have been entrusted with ensuring that all existing helipads remain fully usable and in "operational condition" at all times. Superintending Engineers will also regularly review the condition and maintenance of helipads under their respective jurisdictions.

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