

DABOLIM AIRPORT TO BE MODERNIZED: SHRI. PRABHU

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"Goa has its own unique identity, which has to be retained, maintained and its value enhanced," said Union Minister for Civil Aviation, Shri. Suresh Prabhu on Monday while addressing a press briefing at Dabolim.

Shri. Prabhu further said that Dabolim airport would be modernised and renovated with an extension of terminals, multi-layer parking etc to ensure that it remains functional to meet the growing demands of tourism in the state of Goa.

The Minister informed that the Civil Aviation Ministry has launched a programme for skill development. He also said that the Taxi drivers' grievances would be looked into as the airport authority will enter into an agreement with Government of Goa to operate an additional counter which will be run by Goa tourism to ensure local taxis get more opportunities. At this counter, local produce and products from Goa will be sold.