

FUNCTIONS OF DGCA

The overall responsibility of the DGCA can be summarised as follows:

- Registration of Civil Aircraft in India;
- Formulation of standards of airworthiness for civil aircraft registered in India and granting
 of certificates of airworthiness to such aircraft;
- Licensing of pilots, aircraft maintenance engineers and airports;
- Investigation of air accidents and incidents;
- Regulation of air transport services to, from, and within India;
- Rendering advice on bilateral air services agreements and other matters relating to air transport;
- Processing of aviation legislation;
- Development of light aircraft, gliders and winches; and
- Type certification of aircraft.

The DGCA discharges these functions through the nine Directorates shown in the following organisation chart. Two new Directorates have recently been added - the Directorate of Central Examination Organisation and the Directorate of Flying and Training.

ORGANISATION CHART

DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF CIVIL AVIATION

