

## **MERCHANTS CHAMBER OF UTTAR PRADESH**

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Night Landing Facility in Kanpur, has been a long-standing demand since the airport was operationalised in (Month & Year). Post taking over as the President of Merchant Chamber of Uttar Pradesh on September 10, 2023, Mr. Abhishek Singhania decided to take up the matter with the concerned authorities in defence, civil aviation ministries and also requested the support of the UP Government. After various rounds of meetings and constant follow-up, the authorities have given approval for the night landing facility at Kanpur airport.

The Chamber has received a reply dated 16-10-2023 from Mr. Pushpendra Kumar, Director (IAS/SSC/CG Policy), Department of Defence, Government of India, New Delhi in which he has informed the chamber that the Indian Air Force is actively working to successfully implement night landing operations at Kanpur Airport and the system for night landing operations at Kanpur Airport is likely to be available from November, 2023.

We would also be meeting other airlines such as Vistara, Air India Air Asia, Akasa and Spice Jet, requesting them to start flight operations from Kanpur to other destinations thus making it convenient for the citizens of Kanpur.

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