

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Aircraft Movement at Velanaa International Airport											
Total Number of International Flights	10,470	12,645	13,297	13,782	16,866	19,435	19,282	22,106	23,821	23,488	23,718
Passenger Movement of International Flights ('000)	1,572	1,782	1,775	1,792	2,174	2,409	2,425	2,864	3,133	3,174	3,957
Passenger Movement of Domestic Flights ('000)	716	810	845	823	1,041	1,145	797	1,367	1,344	1,643	1,821
Registered Vehicles / Vessels											
Sea Transport											
Number of Yacht Dhoni	88	101	113	118	124	130	136	140	157	161	220
Number of Launches	1,210	1,428	1,682	1,841	1,968	2,104	2,253	2,378	2,540	2,794	3,081
Number of Boats	416	456	480	494	508	523	537	561	567	600	582
Land Transport											
Number of Motor Cars	2,372	2,727	3,002	3,219	3,348	3,510	3,708	3,994	4,495	5,269	5,754
Number of Motor Cycles/Auto Cycles	22,113	26,777	31,414	35,794	38,860	42,570	46,409	50,778	56,503	66,527	74,354
Phone Calls ('000 minutes)											
International telephone calls	12,037	26,991	120,906	140,386	135,384	108,744	211,865	249,201	265,736	227,781	226,472
National telephone calls	123,281	122,725	95,124	86,305	77,503	75,974	69,830	66,557	41,974	59,161	52,972
Mobile calls	216,318	219,839	969,281	1,165,371	1,241,516	1,094,741	1,468,840	1,571,320	1,687,209	1,608,503	1,578,928
Phone lines											
Fixed telephone lines	32,181	33,063	46,925	49,025	48,019	24,084	23,140	22,557	21,478	21,911	21,136
Mobile phone subscriptions	271,053	313,539	435,627	457,770	494,351	527,844	560,547	625,161	665,818	739,790	812,128
Post-paid	29,038	29,479	55,282	68,360	71,803	72,751	71,463	73,751	78,656	87,051	97,761
Pre-paid	242,015	284,060	380,345	389,410	422,548	455,093	489,084	551,410	587,162	652,739	714,367

Note:
 Considerable increase in 2008 mobile & international minutes as call minutes from pre-paid phones were not included in previous years
 On 1st January 2017 INIA was rebranded to Velanaa International Airport

