

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6992
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SHIP BREAKING YARD AT KAKINADA
Mohite Shri Subodh

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up a ship-breaking yard at Kakinada;
- (b) whether 'Greenpeace' a non-governmental organization is opposing the proposal;
- (c) if so, the reasons therefor and the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (d) whether ship breaking industry causes environmental hazard; and
- (e) if so, the action proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI T.R. BAALU)

- (a) to (e) Information is being collected and shall be laid on the Table of the House.