

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

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MARITIME TRADE PRACTICES ACT
Thakkar Smt. Jayaben B.

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

- (a) whether a draft of the Maritime Trade Practices Act of India has been circulated among the shipping companies for comments;
- (b) if so, the details of the draft; and
- (c) the response from the shipping companies on the draft so far ?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) An initial draft of Shipping Trade Practices Act has been circulated among various stakeholders for their views. The matter is at preliminary stage and details are still evolving.