

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2025
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JAKHAU FISHERY PROJECT
Solanki Shri Bhupendrasinh Prabhatsinh

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the proposal for the Union Government of Jakhau Fishery Project is awaiting environment clearance from the Government since long;
- (b) whether a comprehensive report on the escalation of cost of the project and a revised estimate were also sent by the Government of Gujarat to the Union Government; and
- (c) if so, the present status of the proposal?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI TASLIMUDDIN)

(a): No, Sir. The Union Government had in December, 1997 accorded clearance from environmental angle for construction of fishing harbour at Jakhau.

(b)&(c): Yes, Sir. The revised cost estimate proposal with cost escalation from Rs.1143.60 lakhs to Rs.3483.90 lakhs has just been received from Government of Gujarat.