

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA**

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DEVELOPMENT OF NEW PORTS

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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the proposals received from State Governments for the development of new ports/major ports in the country along with the status thereof, State/UT-wise;
- (b) the criteria laid down by the Government for development of major ports along with the funds allocated including Paradip during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to develop 16 new sea ports in the country including deep sea ports; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof including the name of new ports, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI KRISHANPAL GURJAR)

(a): In pursuance of Ministry of Shipping's letters to all Maritime States, response has been received from the State Governments of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala and Gujarat expressing willingness to provide land for development of another Major Port in the respective states. On the basis of Feasibility Reports, the Government decided to develop a new Major Port at Dugarajapatnam in Andhra Pradesh and another new Port at Sagar Island in West Bengal in PPP mode.

(b): Developmental projects in Major Ports are taken up based on Techno-economic feasibility of the projects. Funds allocated by government for developmental projects in Major Ports during the last three years including the current year is Annexed.

(c)&(d): No Madam. The twelve Major Ports would be taking up 16 new Port Projects in the current financial year.

Annexure

FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR MAJOR PROJECTS IN THE LAST THREE YEARS

(Rs. In Crores)

Sl. No.	Name of the Organisation	Year	Funds Allocated	Funds Allocated
			in 2013-14	in 2014-15
			in 2012-13	
1.	Kolkata	105.71	379.11	0.00
2.	Paradip	0.00	0.00	17.00
3.	Visakhapatnam	0.00	50.00	50.00
4.	Chennai	15.00	15.00	15.00
5.	V.O. CPT	124.63	50.00	173.00
6.	Cochin	0.00	0.00	10.00
7.	Mormugao	0.00	50.00	75.00
	Total	245.34	544.11	340.00