

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3919  
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USE OF SALT PAN LAND  
Shewale Shri Rahul Ramesh

**Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) Whether the salt pan land in Mumbai is lying unused and if so, the details thereof:
- (b) Whether the Government proposes to utilize the land for housing, infrastructure projects and mangrove parks; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

(a) to (c): 1611 acres of unused Salt Pan Land in Mumbai is under litigation and thus cannot be utilized. There is no proposal at present to utilize this land for housing, infrastructure projects and mangrove parks.