

**Contract Between Japanese Steel Mill  
and MMTC for Export of Iron Ore**

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NAIK : Will the Minister of COM-  
MERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Japanese steel mills  
and the State owned Minerals and Metals  
Trading Corporation have signed a con-  
tract for the export of iron ore ;

(b) whether it has been decided under  
the agreement to use Indian vessels ; and

(c) if so, the details of the Govern-  
ment in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND IN  
THE DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY  
(SHRI NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR) :

(a) Yes, MMTC has concluded a  
contract with Japanese Steel Mills for  
export of eight million tonnes of iron ore  
to Japan during 1984-85.

(b) and (c) Japanese Steel Mill have  
agreed to lift the entire quantity from  
Paradip Port and 50% of the quantities  
from Vizag and Madras Ports in Vessels  
of Shipping Corporation of India, MMTC  
is taking action regarding the implement-  
ation of the contract.

**Travel circuits identified in Orissa  
for development during Sixth Plan**

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NAIK : Will the Minister of TOURISM

AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to  
state :

(a) the travel circuits identified in  
Orissa for development in the Sixth  
Plan;

(b) the Central allocation made so  
far for the development of the travel cir-  
cuits identified in Orissa in the above  
Plan period; and

(c) the details of the developmental  
measures taken in those travel circuits so  
far ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM AND CIVIL  
AVIATION (SHRI KHURSHEED  
ALAM KHAN) : (a) The Department of  
Tourism in consultation with the State  
Govt. have identified the following two  
Travel Circuits in the State of Orissa for  
development of tourist facilities through  
the combined resources of Centre, the  
State and the Private Sector :—

1. Bhubaneswar-Puri-Konark-Dhaulti-  
Ratnagiri - Lalitgiri - Udaygiri-  
Bhadrek - Chandipur - Khiching  
Joshiapur (Simlipal) and back.
2. Bhubaneswar-Chilka Lake-Gopal-  
pur-on-Sea-Tapta Pani-Koraput-  
Bolangir-Jharsuguda-Angul-Tikar-  
para-Talcher-Bhubaneswar.

(b) and (c) During the Sixth Five Year  
Plan, the Department has already taken  
up the following schemes :—

(Rs. in lakhs)

	Estimated cost	Amount released/ proposed to be released
(i) Preparation of Master Plan of Lalitgiri, Udaygiri and Ratnagiri	4.00	3.20
(ii) Development of Lion Safari Park at Nandan Kanan	21.10	19.23
(iii) Forest Lodge at Simlipal	36.76	10.80
(iv) Toilet Block at Konark	3.49	2.61
(v) Provision of boats at Chilka Lake	1.998	1.80
(vi) Flood-lighting at Khandagiri-Udaygiri.	8.10	7.29