

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO - 1845
ANSWERED ON - 02/08/2024

DEVELOPMENT OF MULTI-MODAL PORTS

1845. SHRI Y S AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to develop multi-modal ports in the Country, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has identified any places in the State of Telangana for developing such multi modal ports and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the quantum of funds earmarked and released therefor, so far?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

- (a) Yes Sir. The Union Cabinet in its meeting held on 19.06.2024 approved the setting up of a new Major Port at Vadhavan near Dahanu in Maharashtra at total project cost of Rs.76,220 Crore. The Port will comprise nine container terminals, each 1000 meters long, four multipurpose berths, including the coastal berth, four liquid cargo berths, a Ro-Ro berth, and a Coast Guard berth. The Project will create a cumulative capacity of 298 million metric tons (MMT) per annum, including around 23.2 million TEUs (Twenty-foot equivalents) of container handling capacity.
- (b) No Sir.
- (c) Does not arise.
