

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS & PETROCHEMICALS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3032
ANSWERED ON 09.08.2024

PLASTIC PARK IN MANGALORE

3032: Shri Captain Brijesh Chowta:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) the status of work on Plastic Park at Mangalore in Karnataka;
- (b) whether there is any delay in the completion of the said project and if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether there is an overshoot of the cost of the project from the initial cost of 62 Crore;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the manner in which the Government is planning to cover the difference amount;
- (e) whether the Government has plans to set up any new plants in the Dakshina Kannada region in Karnataka; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS

(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

- (a) : The Department of Chemicals and Petrochemicals approved the setting up of a Plastic Park in Ganjimutt, Mangalore, Karnataka, in January, 2022. The total cost of the project is Rs. 62.78 crore, with the Government of India's share being Rs. 31.38 crore. As per the Scheme Guidelines, the project is to be completed in a period of five years from the date of final approval. As per the information received from the Karnataka Industrial Areas Development Board (KIADB), 55 per cent of the work in the project has been completed so far.

(b) : KIADB has informed that there has been delay in the completion of some activities of the project due to litigation issues pertaining to 9.33 acres of land. However, the project is within the approved time limit.

(c) and (d): There is no cost escalation in the project.

(e) and (f):Presently, there is no proposal to set up any new Plastic Parks.
