GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3599 ANSWERED ON:23.08.2004 JETTIES FUNCTIONING IN TAMIL NADU Kharventhan Shri Salarapatty Kuppusamy

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the places where Jettis are functioning at present in Tamil Nadu coast;

(b) whether the Government proposes to provide funds for the upgradation and modernization of jetties in the State; and

(c) if so, the funds released so far during the last three years?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE(SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a): The places where the fishing jetties are functioning at present in Tamil Nadu coast are annexed.

(b)&(c): Yes, Sir. The Union Government in March 2004 had accorded approval to the proposals of Government of Tamil Nadu for repair and renovation/modernization of one fishing harbour at Thoothukudi and three fish landing centers at Rameshwaram, Chinna Erwadi and Kottaipattinam at a total cost of Rs.99.30 lakhs. The first instalment of Central shares amounting to Rs.25.00 lakhs has been released to the State Government in March 2004.