

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
STEEL  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3562  
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SHIP BREAKING AT ALANG  
Khairi Shri Chandrakant Bhaurao

**Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has set up a technical committee to assess the technical viability of ship breaking industry at Alang;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the time by which it is likely to submit its report alongwith the terms of references;
- (d) whether ship breaking at Alang has been facing protests by environmental groups;
- (e) if so, the details thereof alongwith the steps proposed/taken in this regard; and
- (f) the steps taken by the Government to provide modern technology in Alang ?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (DR. AKHILESH DAS)

(a)to(f): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha.