

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3024
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PASSENGER WATER TRANSPORT IN MUMBAI
Deora Shri Milind Murlu

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the Government of Maharashtra for allocating them Passenger Water Transport of East Coast of Mumbai at North of Radio Club in Mumbai presently under the jurisdiction of Mumbai Port Trust on Nominal Lease Rent;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government is planning to expedite allocation of the said land to the Government of Maharashtra in view of the urgency needed for execution of the vital project; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF SHIPPING (SHRI G.K. VASAN)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Mumbai Port Trust had receive a proposal from Government of Maharashtra for lease to them, at nominal rent, water front north of Radio Club for the proposed East and West Coast Water Transport Project.

(c) & (d): The request of the State Government was considered by the Board of the Mumbai Port Trust, in its meeting held on 28.7.2009 but it was not accepted.