

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
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INTERNATIONAL PORTS

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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to set up a company which will buy the stake in International Ports in various countries;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the nature of areas in which it is likely to made investments; and
- (c) the time by which such company will start its operation?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING(SHRI MUKUL ROY)

(a) to (c): The proposal to promote a company which may inter-alia acquire some stakes in International ports is under consideration of Government of India. The details of the proposal are being worked out.