

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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WELFARE OF FISHERMEN
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposals from Maharashtra for the welfare of fishermen in the State;
- (b) if so, the details of such proposals and the status thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the proposals are likely to be cleared?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (DR.CHARAN DAS MAHANT)

(a) to (c) A proposal for construction of 321 fishermen houses, 5 tubewells and 2 community halls at a total cost of 133.40 lakh has been received from the State Government of Maharashtra under the 'Development of Model Fishermen Villages' component of Centrally sponsored 'National Scheme of Welfare of Fishermen' during 2010. The proposal could not be considered as the project for construction of 243 fishermen houses approved during 2008-09 has not been completed by the State Government.