

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4064
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MODERNISATION OF BOAT BUILDING YARDS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Lakshadweep Administration is not availing the schemes for construction or modernisation of Boat Building Yards and procurement of fishing equipment;
- (b) if so, the reasons given by the Administration for not availing the schemes/utilising funds meant for the local people; and
- (c) the mechanism in place to check that UTs like Lakshadweep avail of the Centrally Sponsored Schemes?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

- (a): No Madam. The Lakshadweep Administration is availing the Schemes. All the fishing material and gears are being supplied to the fishermen through the Department stores, Fishermen Co-operative societies etc. in different islands.
- (b) to (c): Do not arise in view of (a) above.