

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA**

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HANDING OVER OF SHIPS BY LDCL
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the ships run by the Lakshadweep Development Corporation Limited (LDCL) are being handed over to Shipping Corporation of India for better management;
- (b) if so, whether this move will result in easing the burden of responsibility on the LDCL;
- (c) whether this will also ensure better management of ships operating to and from Lakshadweep; and
- (d) if so, the details in this regard ?

Answer

MINISTER OF SHIPPING (SHRI G. K. VASAN)

- (a) The Union Territory of Lakshadweep Administration (UTLA) have informed that no decision has been taken for handing over the ships by Lakshadweep Development Corporation Limited (LDCL) to Shipping Corporation of India (SCI).
- (b) to (d): Does not arise.