

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3147

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MARINE POLICE TRAINING INSTITUTE

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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has decided to set up Marine Police Training Institute;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the place where it has been decided to set up the said institute; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be made functional?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c) Yes, Madam. The Central Government intends to set up two Marine Police Training Institutes, one each on the West Coast and the East Coast. As regards the West Coast, after receiving responses from the Governments of Gujarat and Maharashtra, a team from the Ministry of Home Affairs visited the sites offered by the two States for the proposed Marine Police Training Institute. An appropriate decision would be taken by the Central Government after due consideration of various aspects of coastal security and training requirements.