

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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VALLARPADAM INTERNATIONAL CONTAINER TRANSSHIPMENT TERMINAL

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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) the present status of construction work of Vallarpadam International Container Transshipment Terminal;
- (b) the progress of the construction of rail-road connectivity of the Vallarpadam Project; and
- (c) the estimated cost of this project and the amount spent so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI G. K. VASAN)

- (a): Development of International Container Transshipment Terminal (ICTT) at Vallarpadam is being implemented by M/s India Gateway Terminal Pvt. Ltd. (IGT) on BOT basis. The physical progress of the terminal construction is 79%.
- (b): The physical progress achieved so far for Rail Connectivity is 85.5% and the physical progress is 48% for two lane road connectivity.
- (c): The estimated cost of the ICTT is Rs.2118 crores and Rs.1034 crores has been spent on the Project as on 31.10.2009.