

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA**

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SECURITY AT BHAVNAGAR PORT
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any security check system has been established for ship breaking yard located in Bhavnagar, Gujarat;
- (b) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to deploy any agency for the security check;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) Yes, Madam. The Gujarat Maritime Board, Government of Gujarat, the authority for development and maintenance of the Alang Soshiya ship breaking yard located in Bhavnagar, Gujarat, has engaged Gujarat Industrial Security Force (GISF) for establishing security check system and deployment of security personnel. The number of security personnel presently deployed are:

- 1. Security Guards 63
- 2. Ex-service man guard 05
- 3. Gun man 06
- 4. Security Supervisor 06
- 5. Security Officer 01
- Total 81

(b) to (e): Does not arise.