

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

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Immigration Checkpoints in Lakshadweep  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up immigration checkpoints in Lakshadweep both for movement of ships and tourists;
- (b) if so, the details and the objectives thereof; and
- (c) the time by which these checkpoints are likely to become functional?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI HARIBHAI PARATHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Immigration check-posts have been proposed to be set up at Agatti and Minicoy Islands of Lakshadweep for the purpose of granting immigration clearance to visiting foreign cruises and foreign tourists.

(c): These check posts are likely to become functional by the end of the year.

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