GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SHIPPING LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5137 ANSWERED ON:14.08.2014 FACILITIES ON PORTS Fatepara Shri Devajibhai Govindbhai

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has conducted any study to assess the facilities available on ports of coastal States of the country including Gujarat;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the proposals received/approved by the Government during the last three years and the current year in this regard including status thereof; and
- (c) the time by which pending proposals are likely to be approved?

Answer

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) to (b): The Ministry of shipping has fromulated a perspective plan for development And modernization of ports, namely, `The Maritime Ageda 2010-2020`. Major Ports prepare annual plan and perspective plan in line with the Maritime Ageda omrpr[prtatomg tje ,pdermozatopmamd ca[acoters aig,emtatopm reqirements of the respective Major Ports and implement porjects accordingle. These modernisation Projects of Major ports and closely momitored by the Ministry of shipping. Port-wise details of modernisation projects awarded,and under Implementation is enclosed as Annexure.

As per the indian ports act 1908, port other then major ports are under the jurisdiction of the respective state Governments and there fore the infromation regarding porposals received/approved by the Maritimr State Governments is not available with the ministry of Shipping.