### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

# LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. \*42 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2018

#### ALLAHABAD-DELHI SHIPPING SERVICE

#### \*42. SHRI BHAIRON PRASAD MISHRA:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

### पोत परिवहन मंत्री

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide shipping service from Allahabad to Delhi through Yamuna river and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether it is also proposed to make Mau and Rajapur of Chitrakut and Augasi of Banda regions the central places thereunder;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether the said service is likely to be implemented before the Kumbh Mela and if so, the details thereof?

## ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

# Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No.\*42 for 13.12.2018 raised by Shri Bhairon Prasad Mishra, M.P. on "Allahabad-Delhi Shipping Service"

(a) to (d): River Yamuna from Jagatpur (6 km upstream of Wazirabad Barrage), Delhi to confluence of Yamuna and Ganga rivers at Sangam, Allahabad (Prayagraj) (1080 km) has been declared as National Waterway (NW) No.110 under the National Waterways Act, 2016. A Detailed Project Report (DPR) to assess the techno-economic feasibility of navigation on NW-110 is under preparation and is scheduled to be completed by April, 2019. Analysis of the completed DPR would influence the decision on cargo movement on NW-110. Therefore, shipping service is not envisaged before Kumbh, 2019 between Allahabad and Delhi.

\*\*\*\*