

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2031
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND SEPTEMBER, 2020

PROJECTS UNDER SAGARMALA INITIATIVE

2031. DR. SUJAY RADHAKRISHNA VIKHE PATIL:
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SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBHAJIRAO MANE:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

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- (a) the number of projects initiated by the Government as of September 2020 under the Sagarmala initiative, State-wise;
- (b) the percentage of increased utilisation of coastline and navigable waterways since the inception of the project and the estimated increase in amount of exports, since the launch of the Sagarmala initiative, if any; and
- (c) the number of jobs created through the projects started under the above initiative during the last three years?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR SHIPPING
(SHRI MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)

- (a) The number of projects (state/UT-wise) which have been initiated as of September 2020 by the Ministry of Shipping under Sagarmala Programme is annexed.

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(b) There has been an increase of approx 52% (from 80 MTPA in 2014-15 to 122 MTPA in 2019-20) in the cargo carried through coastal shipping since inception of Sagarmala. Cargo transportation on National Waterways has also increased by 33.81 % (from 55.03 MTPA in 2017-18 to 73.64 MTPA in 2019-20) in the last three years. However, there is no direct correlation between increase in utilisation of coastline & navigable waterways and increase in export.

(c) Approximately, Eighteen thousand jobs have been created through Sagarmala projects undertaken by Major Ports and funded by MoS under Sagarmala since inception of Sagarmala Programme. This does not include man days of jobs created at construction stages of projects and indirect jobs.

Annexure-I

State	Total
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	5
Andhra Pradesh	31
Assam	1
Bihar	1
Daman & Diu	2
Goa	14
Gujarat	22
Karnataka	20
Kerala	19
Maharashtra	73
Odisha	21
Puducherry	1
Tamil Nadu	59
West Bengal	26
Total	295
