

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.132

TO BE ANSWERED ON 17th JULY, 2017

**DEVELOPMENT OF THIRUVANANTHAPURAM AND
CHENNAI SEA ROUTE**

132. SHRI K. K. RAGESH:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any project to develop Thiruvananthapuram and Chennai sea route is under the consideration of Government; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a)&(b):The Ministry is in the process of developing jetties and terminals for development of coastal and inland water routes for passenger and cargo transportation. The State Governments have been requested to submit proposal for construction of jetties etc under the scheme. The Ministry of Shipping has sanctioned construction of jetties etc. at Cuddalore Port (Berth-1), construction of coastal berth at Cuddalore Port (Berth-2) and extension of passenger berthing facility at Kanyakumari Port in Tamil Nadu on the recommendation of the Government of Tamil Nadu.
