

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 788
ANSWERED ON 08/02/2022

SAGARMALA PROJECT IN PUDUCHERRY

788. SHRI S. SELVAGANABATHY:

Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the fund allocation under each component in Sagarmala project in Puducherry;
- (b) the number of review meetings conducted by the Ministry in Puducherry, the present status thereof; and
- (c) whether there is any allocation of funds made for appointing the staff in the Sagarmala project?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

- (a) Government of India under Sagarmala Programme is assisting Government of Puducherry for development of Puducherry Port. The project has three phases. Under Phase I, Ministry has released Rs. 18.00 Cr. to take up the dredging work at Puducherry Port.
- (b) A meeting between Adviser to Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry and Secretary to Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways was held virtually on 23.04.2021 on development of Ports in UT of Puducherry.
- (c) Under Sagarmala Programme, the projects which are aligned to the objectives, like Port Modernisation & efficiency improvement, ports connectivity enhancement, port-led industrialisation and coastal community development, are considered for funding. Separate funds are not allocated for appointment of staff in projects funded under Sagarmala.
