## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS

### RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 467

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#### IMPLEMENTATION OF SAGARMALA YOUNG PROFESSIONAL SCHEME

#### 467. SHRI DHANANJAY BHIMRAO MAHADIK:

- (a) whether Government has launched a scheme called Sagarmala young professional scheme recently;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the aims and the objective behind the move;
- (c) the number of professionals to be hired under the scheme and the criteria fixed for selecting the professionals;
- (d) whether any incentives will be given to professionals under the scheme and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken by Government to make the scheme successful?

### ANSWER

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

(a) to (e) No such scheme has been launched. However, the Ministry has engaged 32 Young Professionals for assisting senior officers in project and other technical works of the Ministry. Engagement of Young Professionals is done based on certain eligibility criteria/ professional experience prescribed by the Ministry. The Young Professionals are being paid a fixed remuneration of Rs. 60000/- per month and are hired for a period of 2 years.

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