

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS

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ANSWERED ON – 30/07/2024

EXPANSION/UPGRADATION WORKS AT PORTS IN TAMIL NADU

957. SHRI P. WILSON:

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

- (a) whether Government has explored possibilities to increase floating jet projects in the State of Tamil Nadu, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the details of current expansion/upgradation works and creation of Hubs in V.O. Chidambaram port, Chennai port, Ennore Port and all other ports in the State of Tamil Nadu?

ANSWER

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

(a & b) Yes, Sir. The details of approved floating jetty projects under Sagarmala scheme in the State of Tamil Nadu is placed at Annexure-I.

(c) The details of expansion/upgradation projects in the ports in the State of Tamil Nadu is placed at Annexure-II. Further, VOC Port has leased land of 500.82 acres to various industries to develop Green Hydrogen/ammonia plant.

Annexure-I

Sl. No.	Project Name	Project Cost (in Rs. Cr.)
1	Creation of additional berthing facilities for the tourist vessels at Cuddalore, Tamil Nadu	11.00
2	Creation of Berthing facilities for tourist vessels at Agni Theertham, Tamil Nadu	7.81
3	Creation of additional berthing facilities at Villoondi Theertham, Tamil Nadu	3.66
4	Creation of additional berthing facilities at Kanyakumari	4.18

Annexure-II

S.No	Project	Port	Project Cost (Rs. Cr.)	Remarks
1	Outer Harbour with two nos. of container terminals of 1000m quay length each with a capacity volume of 4 MTEU's	VOCPA	7055.95	Under Development
2	Conversion of 9th Berth as Container Terminal on DBFOT basis for a period of 30 years	VOCPA	434.17	Under Implementation
3	Mechanization of NCB-III for handling dry bulk cargo on DBFOT basis for a period of 30 years	VOCPA	265.15	Under Development
4	Dredging in front of NCB III berth to handle upto 14.20m draft vessels with a capacity addition of 6.96MTPA.	VOCPA	232.43	Under Development
5	Renewal of Existing Diamond Crossing with 60 kg CMS Diamond crossing and Direct entry to center yard and CONCOR yard to center yard to avoid Double handling and Electrification of Railway lines as top wiring for engine on load concept at western yard 1&11 and full wiring to centre yard-II through IPRCL	ChPA	7.22	Under Implementation
6	Development of Buffer Parking yard for Trailers /Trucks at the back up area at Berth No. 248 (BDII) in Chennai Port	ChPA	52.85	Under Implementation
7	Refurbishing of E1 & E4 warehouse in EE(C) CD I division	ChPA	5.31	Under Implementation
8	Refurbishing of JD 1, JD III & JD V (North) Transit Shed	ChPA	4.41	Under Implementation
9	Refurbishing of WQ III & IV Transit sheds of EE(C)ND division	ChPA	6.80	Under Implementation
10	Concreting the Coastal road between road junction behind E- complex Godowns and Hazardous cargo drain in Chennai Port	ChPA	3	Under Implementation
11	Upgradation of JD entrance wall	ChPA	154.6	Under Development
12	Construction of warehouses measuring 18,000 sq.m at southern side of existing EXIM warehouses near Marshalling yard.	ChPA	73.91	Under Development
13	Development of Paved storage yards at Marshalling Yard and JD East backup area	ChPA	63.20	Under Development
14	Development of Internal Road Net Work at Chennai Port for Effective Receipt and Evacuation of Cargo	ChPA	200	Under Development
15	New four lane Elevated Road from Chennai Port to Maduravoyal	ChPA	5510	Under Implementation
16	Development of Multimodal Logistics Park at Mappedu, Chennai	ChPA	1423	Under Implementation

S.No	Project	Port	Project Cost (Rs. Cr.)	Remarks
17	Construction of IOCL captive jetty	KPL	921	Under Development
18	Rehabilitation and retrofitting of the North breakwater at KPL	KPL	88.6	Under Development
19	Setting up of 1 MLD (2 * 0.5MLD) capacity Sea Water Reverse Osmosis Desalination Plant with Operation and Maintenance (O&M) period of 7 years at Kamarajar Port Limited	KPL	47.41	Under Development
