GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY DEPARTMENT FOR PROMOTION OF INDUSTRY AND INTERNAL TRADE RAJYA SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO. 137. TO BE ANSWERED ON FRIDAY, THE $01^{\rm ST}$ AUGUST, 2025.

SETTING UP OF INDUSTRIAL CORRIDORS IN ODISHA

*137. SHRI MANAS RANJAN MANGARAJ:

Will the Minister of **Commerce and Industry** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government proposes to set up any industrial corridor in Odisha;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the current status of the East Coast Economic Corridor;
- (d) the investment attracted in Odisha under this project; and
- (e) the expected employment generation?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 137 FOR ANSWER ON 01.08.2025.

(a) to (e): Odisha Economic Corridor (OEC) was included as part of 11 Industrial Corridors under National Industrial Corridor Development Programme (NICDP) in December 2020. The State Government has been requested to confirm availability of suitable land parcels for development of greenfield Industrial Smart Clusters and undertake the project development activities under OEC. Confirmation regarding the land parcels has not been received.

East Coast Economic Corridor (ECEC) consists of Odisha Economic Corridor (OEC) and Vizag-Chennai Industrial Corridor (VCIC). Both these corridors are part of 11 industrial corridors that have been taken up for industrial development under NICDP.

Kopparthy Industrial Area in Andhra Pradesh has been taken up for development under Vishakhapatnam-Chennai Industrial Corridor (VCIC) as approved by Government of India in August, 2024.
