# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING AND FISHERIES

# LOK SABHA

# UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3139 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21<sup>ST</sup> MARCH, 2017

## SETTING UP OF FISHING HARBOURS

# 3139. SHRI RAM MOHAN NAIDU KINJARAPU:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has a proposal to set up fishing harbours and cold storage facilities in coastal districts of Andhra Pradesh to tap the potential of fisheries sector in the State for the provision of livelihood and income generation of small scale fishermen;

(b) if so, the details of the steps taken by the Government in this regard along with the present status thereof; and

(c) the time by which the project is likely to be taken up?

## ANSWER

# THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

## (SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) to (c): The Government of Andhra Pradesh has proposed to establish three new fishing harbours at (i) Juvvaladinne in Sri Potti Sriramulu Nellore District, (ii) Uppada in East Godavari District, (iii) Vodarevu in Prakasam District and expand the two existing fishing harbours at Machilipatnam in Krishna District and Nizampatnam in Guntur District. Since the techno-financial proposals in respect of these proposed fishing harbours have not been submitted to this Department, by the State Government, the time by which the proposed fishing harbours are to be constructed cannot be assessed at this stage. The Government of Andhra Pradesh has also reported that at present there is no proposal for establishment of cold storage through Government in the coastal districts of Andhra Pradesh.

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