

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3965

TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th AUGUST, 2017

LINKING OF COASTAL CITIES

3965. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government/Central Inland Water Transport Corporation Limited proposes to link various coastal cities across the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of cities identified for this purpose?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING
(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a)to(c):Coastal cities are linked through coastal shipping between Major Ports and Non-Major Ports. A number of steps have been initiated to promote coastal shipping which will lead to improved connectivity of coastal cities. Government has approved the winding up of Central Inland Water Transport Corporation Limited and as such it has ceased its operations.
