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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2393 TO BE ANSWERED ON 2^{ND} JANUARY, 2018

ASSISTANCE FOR INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT OF HARBOURS

2393. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN:

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

- (a) whether the Government has received request from the State Government of Kerala for releasing financial assistance for infrastructure development of various harbours including Quilandy fishing harbour in Kerala;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of the amount released during the last three years and the current year; and
- (d) the details of central share yet to be released by the Government along with the present status thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE (SMT. KRISHNA RAJ)

- (a) & (b): Yes, Madam. The Government of Kerala during the current financial year (2017-18) has requested the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries (DADF), Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare for release of central financial assistance in respect of ongoing 6 fishing harbour and 1 fish landing centre projects including Quilandy fishing harbour; and 3 projects relating to maintenance dredging at the existing fishing harbours.
- (c) : The details of central amount released to the Government of Kerala for construction of fishing harbours/fish landing centres including modernization of the existing fishing harbours/fish landing centres in the State during the last three years are as below:

Sl. No	Financial year	Central funds released (Rs. in lakh)	
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	
1	2014-15	2435.60	
2	2015-16	3635.80	
3	2016-17	1322.91	
	Total	7394.31	

(d) : Central financial assistance is released to the State Government in installments for development of fishing harbours and fish landing centres, based on the progress, submission of Utilization Certificate in respect of central financial assistance released earlier, submission of physical and financial progress report and keeping in view of the budgetary allocation under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme. The project-wise details of central share release and balance are furnished as below:

(Rs. in lakh)

S1.	Name of the fishing harbour and fish	Central funds	Balance
No	landing centre	already released	
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)
1	Koyilandi (FH)	2222.50	977.00
2	Cheruvathur (FH)	1750.00	420.50
3	Thanur (FH)	1550.00	1815.25
4	Vellayil (FH)	1250.00	1697.65
5	Arthungal (FH)	1050.00	2654.25
7	Manjeshwaram (FH)	100.00	3560.00
6	Munakkakadauv (FLC)	123.25	50.00
8	Maintenance of Dredging of 7FHs	293.23	233.77
9	Maintenance Dredging at Puthiyappa FH	26.56	581.44
10	Maintenance Dredging at Moplabay	100.28	235.00

FH: Fishing Harbour and FLC: Fish landing Centre
