

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2990  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 4<sup>th</sup> JANUARY, 2018  
FERRY SERVICE BETWEEN DELHI AND AGRA

2990. SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has agreed in principle to launch a ferry service between Delhi and Agra by dredging and cleaning the Yamuna river;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the progress made in this regard so far; and
- (c) the time by which the service is likely to be launched?

ANSWER

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

(a)to(c):The River Yamuna from Jagatpur, Delhi to the point of confluence with Ganga river at Sangam, Allahabad has been declared as National Waterway -110 under the National Waterways Act, 2016. A Consultant has been appointed by the Inland Waterways Authority of India (IWAI) to prepare a Detailed Project Report (DPR) for comprehensive development of shipping and navigation on this National Waterway. Further contours of its development would be decided as per findings of the DPR.

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