GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2122

TO BE ANSWERED ON 8th MARCH, 2018

DRY PORT

†2122. SHRI DEVJI M. PATEL:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government proposes to construct a dry port in Bhawatada at Sonchore in Rajasthan to promote import- export;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of funds allocated/released for the purpose; and
- (d) the time limit set to complete the construction of the said dry port?

ANSWER

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

(a): Proposals for setting up of Inland Container Depots (ICDs) which are considered as Dry Ports, Container Freight Stations (CFSs) and Air Freight Stations (AFSs) are received from Central and State Govt. PSUs and Private developers from time to time. An Inter-Ministerial Committee (IMC) is functioning under the ageis of Department of Commerce since 1992 for giving single window clearance to these agencies for setting up of ICDs/CFSs in India. Department of Commerce itself does not set up such a facility. Presently, there is no such proposal with IMC for constructing a dry Port in Bhawatada at Sanchore in Rajasthan.

(b)to(d): Does not arise.
