

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4938  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23<sup>rd</sup> JULY, 2019**

**Fishing Harbours and Cold Storage Facilities in Andhra Pradesh**

**4938. SHRI RAM MOHAN NAIDU KINJARAPU:**

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is planning to set up fishing harbours and provide 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;
- (c) the time by which such a project is likely to be taken up; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING**

**(SHRI PRATAP CHANDRA SARANGI)**

(a) to (d) : The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries *inter-alia* provides financial assistance for strengthening of Post Harvest Infrastructure facilities fisheries such as (i) Construction of new fishing harbours and fish landing centres and (ii) Up-gradation/expansion/repair/renovation of the existing fishing harbours and fish landing centres, (iii) Ice plants, Cold storages, Ice plants-cum-cold storages, (iv) Renovation/modernization of existing Ice plants, Cold storages and Ice plants-cum-cold storages etc. Besides, in order to address the infrastructural requirements for fisheries sector, a

dedicated fund namely Fisheries and Aquaculture Infrastructure Fund (FIDF) has been launched during 2018-19 with a fund size of Rs 7522.48 crore. Under the FIDF concessional finance is also provided to the State/State Entities and other Eligible Entities for development of fishing harbour, fish landing centres, cold storage, ice-plants, fish transport and cold chain infrastructures.

The Government of Andhra Pradesh has submitted proposals for construction of three new fishing harbours at (i) Juvvaladinne in Nellore District, (ii) Vodarevu in Prakasham District, (iii) Uppada in East Godavari District and (iv) Phase II development of two existing fishing harbours at Machilipattinam in Krishna District and Nizampattinam in Guntur. The details of the proposals and present status are furnished at Annexure-I.

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**Statement referred to in reply to the parts (a) to (d) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 4938 for answer on 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019 regarding Fishing Harbours and Cold Storage Facilities in Andhra Pradesh:**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of Fishing Harbour</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Project cost estimated (Rs. in lakh)</b>	<b>Status</b>
1.	Juvvaladinne	Nellore	28880.00	The State Government has proposed this proposal under Centrally Sponsored Scheme(CSS) on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and management of Fisheries. Since this project is proposed to be taken up in a convergence mode of implementation under the CSS, the project is examining in consultation with the Ministry of Shipping for central funds sharing.
2.	Uppada	East Godavari	28940.00	The State Government has proposed these proposals under the Fisheries and Aquaculture Infrastructure Fund (FIDF), which are processed in the Department of Fisheries.
3.	Vodarevu	Prakasham	40922.00	
4.	Machilipattinam	Krishna	25200.00	
5.	Nizampattinam	Guntur	34078.00	

Taking up the project is subject to approval of the proposals, completion of pre-implementation processes by the State Government, tying up requisite funds and approval of the proposals etc. Therefore, firming up a time period for taking up the project is not envisaged at this stage.

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