GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 312 ANSWERED ON 21.07.2023

PORT TRUST PROJECTS

312. SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state: पत्तन, पोत परिवहन और जलमार्ग मंत्री

- (a) whether the Government has received any joint proposal from the Government of Andhra Pradesh and Visakhapatnam Port Trust regarding 90 project proposals for its approvals under the Sagarmala Project;
- (b) if so, the details of each of the project proposal, estimated cost, time-frame within which each project will be completed, executed and the steps taken by the Government so far on these proposals; and
- (c) the details of the Budget allocation made to each of the above projects in the next financial year 2023-24?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS (SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

(a) to (c) Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways has not received any joint proposals between Govt. of Andhra Pradesh and Visakhapatnam Port Authority under Sagarmala Programme. Therefore, details and budgetary allocation are unquantified.

However under Sagarmala Programme about 110 Projects worth more than Rs 1.1 Lac Cr. have been identified under Sagarmala Programme in the state of Andhra Pradesh for enhancing the infrastructure related to Port led Industrialization, Port Modernization, Port Connectivity enhancement, Coastal Community Development & Coastal Shipping, and Inland Waterways. These projects are implemented by Central Ministries, IWAI, Indian Railways, NHAI, State Government, and Major Ports etc. In Andhra Pradesh, there are 14 projects worth Rs. 2,500 Cr partially funded through Sagarmala Scheme.
