

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 338
ANSWERED ON 21.07.2023

REVIVE EAST COAST CANAL STRETCH SYSTEM

338. SHRI SISIR KUMAR ADHIKARI:

Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to revive the 256 Km long east coast canal stretch system between Talcher and Dhamra linking with Mahanadi delta covering Haldi, Rasulpur, Subarnarekha, Panchapada and Budhahalanga; and
- (b) if so, the details of proposal and the present status of revival of NW-5 along with the detail of recent DPR recommendations therefor?

ANSWER

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

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise. A consultant has been engaged for a detailed study for the development of the stretch from Talcher to Paradip/Dhamra.
