

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3953
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12TH DECEMBER, 2019

ENHANCEMENT OF PORT CONNECTIVITY

3953. SHRI MOHAMMED FAIZAL P.P.:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government is focusing on enhancement of port connectivity at various major and minor ports of country, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the steps taken during the last three years and expenditure incurred thereon?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR SHIPPING
(SHRI MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)

(a & b) Yes Sir, Government of India has undertaken 55 rail projects worth Rs. 45883.2 crore and 15 road projects worth Rs. 2899 Crore for enhancing port connectivity at various major and minor ports.

Out of 55 rail projects, 15 projects worth Rs. 1048.20 Crore have been completed and 40 projects with a cost of Rs. 44785 Crore are under implementation. Out of 15 road projects, 10 projects worth Rs. 2592 Crore have been completed and 5 projects amounting to Rs. 307 Crore are under implementation.

Expenditure for 38 rail connectivity projects being undertaken by Ministry of Railways till March 2019 is approx. Rs 16403 Crore. For 15 road and 17 rail connectivity projects undertaken by Ministry of Road Transport & Highways/ Major Ports, the expenditure in last three FYs is approx. Rs 3204.82 Crore.
