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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1979 TO BE ANSWERED ON 3RD MARCH, 2020

Development of Fishing Harbours in Andhra Pradesh

1979. SHRI BALASHOWRY VALLABHANENI:

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

(a) whether it is true that the State Government of Andhra Pradesh submitted a proposal for development of fishing harbours in Machilipatnam in Krishna district of Andhra Pradesh;

(b) whether it is also true that the Ministry has sanctioned of Rs. 250 crore for this purpose; and

(c) if so, the date on which the amount was sanctioned and the status of the proposal along with the time by which it is going to be completed?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

(SHRI PRATAP CHANDRA SARANGI)

(a) to (c) : The Government of Andhra Pradesh has submitted a proposal for phase-II expansion of existing fishing harbour at Machilipatnam in Krishna District at an estimated cost of Rs. 252 crore and sought the concessional finance under the Fisheries and Aquaculture Infrastructure Development Fund (FIDF). The fishing harbour proposal of Government of Andhra Pradesh for phase-II expansion of existing fishing harbour at Machilipatnam in Krishna District at an estimated cost of Rs.252 crore has been recommended restricting the project cost of Rs. 150 crore for interest subvention upto 3% per annum by the Government of India under the Fisheries and Aquaculture Infrastructure Development Fund (FIDF). The Government of Andhra Pradesh has reported that they are obtaining necessary approvals from the State Government for availing loan from the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) under FIDF and to take up the project of phase -II expansion of existing fishing harbour at Machilipatnam in Krishna