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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1519
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20th SEPTEMBER, 2020

Vellayil Fishing Harbour Project

1519. SHRI M.K. RAGHAVAN:

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

(a) Whether the Government has noticed the delay in implementation of Vellayil fishing
harbour project at Kozhikode; and

(b) if so, the details of plans to revive the project?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND
DAIRYING

(SHRI PRATAP CHANDRA SARANGI)

(a) and (b): The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and
Dairying on 20th November, 2012 had accorded approval to the proposal of Government of
Kerala for construction of a fishing harbour at Vellayil in Kozhikode District at a total cost of
Rs. 3930.20 lakh with 75% central assistance under the erstwhile CSS on Development of
Marine Fisheries, Infrastructure and Post Harvest Operations. The Government of Kerala has
informed that the main components under CSS scheme like Breakwater, Wharf, and Auction
hall etc. has already completed. But the required tranquillity could not be achieved in the
basin due to some issues in the model study. The matter was then addressed to the model
study agency Central Water and Power Research Station (CWPRS), Pune. Meanwhile the
remaining components like administrative block, internal road and parking area and
compound wall amounting to Rs. 650 lakhs got sanctioned under NABARD RIDF XXIII.
Administrative block work is completed and other works are progressing. The model study
report suggested the extension of south breakwater by 490m to achieve the desired
tranquillity. The proposal for the extension of Breakwater as per the revised model study
report, amounting to Rs. 2233.11 lakh got sanctioned under NABARD RIDF XXV.

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