GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.*67 ANSWERED ON 07.02.2025

DEVELOPMENT OF PORTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH

*67. SHRI Y S AVINASH REDDY:

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

(a) the details of the total funds sanctioned and spent for the development of ports, smaller ports and port infrastructure in the State of Andhra Pradesh during the last five years, year-wise and port-wise; and

(b) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to develop smaller ports in the said State by giving impetus thereto for the development of the local areas and the economic development of the local people?

ANSWER

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

(a) and (b) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.*67 ANSWERED ON 7th FEBRUARY, 2025 RAISED BY SHRI Y S AVINASH REDDY REGARDING "DEVELOPMENT OF PORTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH".

(a) Ministry under Sagarmala Scheme is providing financial assistance to 12 projects worth around Rs. 2,410 Cr. in the State of Andhra Pradesh including Visakhapatnam Port Authority for enhancing the infrastructure related to Port led Industrialization, Port Modernization, Port Connectivity enhancement, Coastal Community Development & Coastal Shipping and Inland Waterways. Ministry has sanctioned Rs 393 Cr. for development of these projects. The list of projects funded under Sagarmala in Andhra Pradesh is provided at Annexure-I

(b) Sagarmala is the flagship Central Sector Scheme of the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways to promote port-led development in the country. Under Sagarmala Scheme, financial assistance is provided to State Governments for Port infrastructure, Coastal berths including dredging, Road & Rail projects, fishing harbours, skill development projects, Coastal community development, cruise terminals and projects such as Ro-Pax ferry. Projects having high social impact but with no return or low Internal Rate of Return are being provided financial assistance under the Sagarmala Scheme of Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways.

<u>Annexure - I</u>

List of Sagarmala-funded Projects in Andhra Pradesh

S. No	Name of Project	Implementing Agency	Project Cost (Rs. Cr)	Funds Sanctione d (Rs. in Cr.)	Funds Released (Rs. in Cr.)	Year of sanction of project
1	Construction of coastal Berth at VPT	Visakhapatnam Port Authority	43.00	30.00	30.00	2015
2	Construction of grade separator from H-7 area to Port connectivity Road by passing Convent Junction - Visakhapatnam Port	NHAI	46.34	23.17	21.99	2017
3	2 to 4 laning of port road connectivity to NH – 5 -Phase II	NHAI	77.00	20.00	20.00	2015
4	Coastal Districts Skill Development Program - Phase I -Andhra Pradesh	Ministry of Rural Development (DDU-GKY)	0.28	0.28	0.14	2016
5	Centre of Excellence in Maritime and Shipbuilding - CEMS - AP-18 out of 24 Labs in AP	IRS	574.00	37.52	36.30	2017
6	Development of Fishing Harbour in Juvvaladinne in SPSR Nellore District in the State of Andhra Pradesh.	Fisheries Department, GoAP	288.00	69.15	62.23	2020
7	Coastal Districts Skill Development Program - Phase 2 -Andhra Pradesh	Ministry of Rural Development (DDU-GKY)	5.98	5.98	5.98	2018
8	Improvement of Kakinada Anchorage Ports infrastructure in East Godavari district, Andhra Pradesh	Andhra Pradesh Maritime Board	85.83	36.67	36.67	2022
9	Fishing harbor at Budugatlapalem	Andhra Pradesh Maritime Board	386.20	40.00	0.00	2021

10	Fishing harbor at Kothapatnam	Andhra Pradesh Maritime Board	364.00	40.00	0.00	2021
11	Fishing harbor at Pudimadaka	Andhra Pradesh Maritime Board	387.00	40.00	0.00	2021
12	Modernisation of Visakhapatnam Fishing Harbour	Visakhapatnam Port Authority	151.81	50.00	7.34	2022
