### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3250

# ANSWERED ON 08.08.2025 CONTAINER FACTORY IN GUJARAT

#### 3250. SHRI CHANDUBHAI CHHAGANBHAI SHIHORA:

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

- (a) the number of Government container factories/manufacturing units in Gujarat at present;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to construct a new container factory in Surendranagar Lok Sabha Constituency located between Pipavav Port and Mundra Port, as large chunk of Government land is lying vacant there, so as to ensure development and create employment opportunities and generate revenue because China and other countries are purchasing containers from the country; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

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

- (a) At present there is no Government container factory in Gujarat.
- (b) & (c) No, there is no proposal under Sagarmala Programme of Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways for a new container factory in Gujarat.

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