

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2339
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MARITIME INDIA VISION (MIV), 2030 INITIATIVE

2339. DR. D. PURANDESWARI:

Will the Minister of PORTS, SHIPPING AND WATERWAYS be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has awarded any new port development projects in major ports over the last three years, and if so, the details of these projects, particularly in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) whether these projects are part of the Maritime India Vision (MIV), 2030 initiative, and if so, the manner in which they contribute to enhancing cargo handling capacity and operational efficiency;
- (c) whether there has been an increase in capital expenditure and Gross Budget Support for the Ministry in recent years, and if so, the specific figures for financial year 2024-25;
- (d) whether the Government has implemented any measures to monitor the outcomes of MIV, 2030, including the establishment of tracking portals or cells, and if so, the specific functions thereof and;
- (e) whether these initiatives are expected to create employment opportunities in the maritime sector and if so, the estimates that can be provided regarding job creation?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (b) Yes. Around 116 number of new port development projects have been awarded in Major Ports under Maritime India Vision (MIV), 2030, with a total investment of approximately ₹11,528 crore, including 06 new projects worth ₹ 760 crore at Visakhapatnam Port Authority (VPA), which is the only Major Port in Andhra Pradesh. These projects are primarily focused on expansion of cargo handling capacity, improvement in operational performance through mechanization, automation, and technological upgradation of port operations, enhancement of multimodal

connectivity, digitalization and standardization of port processes, infrastructure strengthening, and adoption of smart and green port initiatives etc.

(c) Yes. The details of Gross Budget Support to the Ministry in last three years is at Annexure –I

(d) The Ministry of Ports, Shipping, and Waterways has established the Sagarmanthan Portal to monitor the outcomes of MIV 2030 and other maritime projects.

(e) The initiatives under Maritime India Vision (MIV) 2030 are expected to generate more than 20 lakh direct and indirect employment opportunities.

Annexure- I

Details of Gross Budget Support for the Ministry in last three years:

Year	Amount (Rs. in crore)
2022-23	1709.50
2023-24	2218.34
2024-25	2377.49
