# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

## LOK SABHA

#### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3774**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 22ND DECEMBER, 2015/PAUSHA 1, 1937 (SAKA)

INTERCEPTOR BOATS FOR ODISHA

3774. SHRI ARKA KESHARI DEO:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any plan to provide more interceptor boats to Odisha State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to increase the patrolling time of interceptor boats in sea for the safety of Indian coasts; and (d) if so, the details thereof?

### **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

- (a) & (b): The State Government of Odisha has been provided with 10 nos. of 12 Ton boats and 5 nos. of 5 Ton boats under the Coastal Security Scheme (Phase-I), during its implementation from 01.04.2005 to 31.03.2011. The State Government of Odisha has also been sanctioned with a provision of 26 nos. of 12 Ton boats under the ongoing Phase-II of the Coastal Security Scheme.
- (c) & (d): The patrolling of the interceptor boats is mandated with the State Government.

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