

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 829  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 3<sup>rd</sup> DECEMBER, 2015

LIGHTHOUSES

829. DR. C. GOPALAKRISHNAN:  
SHRI B. SENGUTTUVAN:  
MOHAMMED FAIZAL:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to develop light-houses in the country as tourism centres? if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has identified the light-houses to be developed as tourism centres in the littoral States of the country;
- (c) if so, the names and total number of light-houses to be developed as tourist attractions and the facilities likely to be provided therein, State/UT-wise indicating the time-frame fixed therefor; and
- (d) whether the Government also proposes to develop the adjoining areas also from tourism-point of view, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING  
(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a)to(c):Yes, Madam. It is proposed to develop 78 lighthouses as centres of tourist attraction across the coastline on PPP mode. The list of lighthouses to be developed as centres of tourist attraction State / UT wise is **annexed**.The facilities/ amenities to be provided will vary from lighthouse to lighthouse and would include features like resorts/hotels; cafes/restaurants/food courts; viewing deck; souvenir shops; museums; light and sound shows; water sports and adventure tourism; public utilities; beach based recreational activities and other allied activities.

(d)No, Madam.

**LIST OF LIGHTHOUSES FOR PROMOTION OF TOURISM**  
**( Total – 78 Nos.)**

<b><u>GUJARAT</u></b>	31. Vizhinjam	<b><u>ODISHA</u></b>
1. Mandvi	32. Thangasseri	60. Puri
2. Pirotan NE. Point	33. Kannur	61. Paradip
3. KalubharTapu	34. Alappuzha (Alleppy)	62. False Point
4. Kachchigarh	35. Kadalur Point	63. Chandrabhaga
5. Gopnath	<b><u>LAKSHADWEEP</u></b>	64. Gopalpur
6. Alang	36. Kadamat	<b><u>WEST BENGAL</u></b>
7. Veraval	37. Thinnakara	65. Dariyapur
8. Dwarka	38. Agathi Island	66. Sagar Island
9. Umargam	39. Androth W. END	<b><u>ANDAMAN &amp; NICOBAR ISLANDS</u></b>
10. Kanai Creek	40. Kavaratti Island	67. North Point (Port Blair)
11. Piram	41. Suhelipar	68. North Cinque
12. Savaibet	42. Minicoy	69. Port Cornwallis
<b><u>MAHARASHTRA/GOA</u></b>	43. Chetlat	70. Sir Hugh Rose
13. Uttan Point	44. Kalpeni	71. Aves
14. Korlai Fort	45. Kiltan	72. East Island
15. Jaigarh	<b><u>TAMILNADU</u></b>	73. ChidyaTapu
16. Ratnagiri	46. Manappad Point	74. Little Andaman
17. Sao George	47. Kilakkarai	75. Rutland
18. Aguada	48. Kodikkarai	76. Keating Point
19. Devgarh	49. Porto Novo	77. South Sentinel
20. Tolleshwar Point	50. Pulicat	78. Narcondam
21. Venugurla Rocks	51. Mahabalipuram	
22. KanhojiAngre	52. KanyaKumari- Muttam Point	
23. Sunk Rock	<b><u>PUDUCHERRY</u></b>	
<b><u>KARNATAKA</u></b>	53. Pondicherry	
24. Bhatkal	<b><u>ANDHRA PRADESH</u></b>	
25. Suratkal Point	54. Antervedi	
26. Kap	55. Sacremanto	
27. Oyster Rock	56. Vakalpudi	
<b><u>KERALA</u></b>	57. Santapile	
28. Chetwai	58. Kalingapatnam	
29. Vypin	59. Nagayalanka	
30. Manakkodam		

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