

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SHIPPING

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.328
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25TH FEBRUARY, 2016

WATER TRANSPORT SERVICE

328.SHRI RAM PRASAD SARMAH:

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal to start inland water transport service between Haldia, West Bengal to Dibrugarh in Assam;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is good feasibility to start the inland water transport service in this sector, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to start the inland water transport service on this route; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a)to(e):Facilities for Inland Water Transport from Haldia to Dibrugarh already exist through the Indo-Bangladesh Protocol route and shippers are moving over dimensional cargo on this route.
