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Opp. to ISRO Qrts., Jalahalli, Bengaluru-560 013

संदर्भ सं./ Ref No.5-8/57/2019-CIF

दिनांक/ Dated: 26th July, 2023

सेवा में/ To,

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying
Department of Fisheries,
Krishi Bhawan,
NEWDELHI 110 001.

Kind Attention: Shri G. Ramakrishna Rao, Assistant Commissioner (Fy)

महोदय/ Sir,

विषय / Sub: Provisionally admitted Lok Sabha Unstarred question Dy No.5554 due for answer on 01-08-2023 regarding "Fishing Harbour in Kerala" – reg

संदर्भ / Ref: Ministry's letter F.No. J-2304715/57/2023-Fy dated 25th July 2023

With reference to the subject and letter cited above, I am enclosing herewith the information available with the Institute on the Lok Sabha provisionally admitted question with Dy No. 5554 due for answer on 01-08-2023 regarding Fishing Harbour in Kerala for kind information.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

(एन.वेंकटेश प्रसाद/ N.VENKATESH PRASAD)

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Question (a): whether the Government is aware that the recurring accidents in Muthalapozhi fishing harbour in Kerala have claimed 69 lives and injured hundreds so far;

Reply: Information not available with the institute.

Question (b): if so, the details of the representations received and the interventions the Union Government in the concerning issue at Muthalapozhi;

Reply: Information not available with the institute.

Question (c): whether the Government has received any report from the state government which denied the safety issues in the harbour:

Reply: Information is not available with the institute.

Question (d): whether the Government has received any request from the state Government of Kerala in Muthalapozhi fishing harbour issue, if so, the details thereof; and

Reply: Information is not available with the institute.

Question (e): whether the Government will send a team of experts to review the situation and will take immediate measures to avert more tragedies?

Reply: Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Department of Fisheries vide letter No J-01012/54/2023-Fy dated 15th July, 2023 deputed a technical team to accompany the

Hon'ble Minister of State for External Affairs during the visit to Muthalapozhy fishing harbour on 17th July, 2023.

The technical team headed by Fisheries Development Commissioner accompanied the Hon'ble Minister of State for External Affairs during the visit to Muthalapozhy fishing harbour on 17th July, 2023 and interacted with the local fishermen to enquire into recent tragic fishing boat accident. The technical team has submitted a report recommending short term and long-term remedial measures.