

Viksit Maritime Sector Modi Sarkar ki Guarantee



Foundation Stone Laying for the VOC Port's Outer Harbour Container Terminal & Dedication to the Nation, Inauguration and Foundation Stone Laying for Various other Development Projects

Worth more than ₹ 17,000 Crores

by

NARENDRA MODI
Hon'ble Prime Minister

Wednesday, 28th February, 2024, 9:30 AM onwards at V.O. Chidambaranar Port Authority, Tuticorin, Tamil Nadu



Launch of
VOC PORT AS INDIA'S FIRST GREEN HYDROGEN HUB PORT
INDIA'S FIRST INDIGENOUS HYDROGEN VESSEL

Projects for Inauguration, Foundation Laying and Dedication to the Nation

Mechanization of Berth and 5 MLD Desalination Plant at VOCPA | Retrofitting of Existing SCI Ships to run on Green Hydrogen or its derivatives | Development of Tourism Facilities at 75 Lighthouses across India | Roads at NMPA and JNPA | Construction of Berth and Rehabilitation of Jetty at VPA | Four Laning of Jittandahalli - Dharmapuri section of NH-844 | Two laning of Meensurutti-Chidambaram Section of NH-81 | Four-laning of Oddanchatram - Madathukulam section of NH-83 | Two Laning of Nagapattinam - Thanjavur section of NH-83 | 86 km doubling of Vanchi Maniyachchi - Tirunelveli and Melappalayam | Aralvaymoli Railway sections | O&M of Berths at MbPA & JNPA | Mechanization of East Quay and Upgradation of Hospital to super specialty at VPA | 150 bedded multi-specialty hospital and Covered storage at NMPA | Development of dry dock & ship repair yard and O&M of 2 berths at MPA | Re-construction and mechanization of berths at SMPA | New Launch Complex of ISRO at Kulasekarapattinam

BENEFITS TO THE NATION

- Reduction in Container transshipment costs & turn around time
- India's first green H₂ Hub Port & Ecosystem
- Zero Emission Zero Noise vessels for Waterways
- More efficient, Safe & Speedy Cargo evacuation & logistics
- Upgraded Rail & Road infrastructure for better connectivity
- Enhanced Speed, ease & comfort of travel
- Employment generation through economic activity related to tourism

IN THE AUGUST PRESENCE OF

R.N. Ravi
Hon'ble Governor,
Tamil Nadu

Sarbananda Sonowal
Hon'ble Union Minister for Ports,
Shipping & Waterways and Ayush;
Govt. of India

Shripad Yesso Naik
Hon'ble Union Minister of State for
Ports, Shipping and Waterways &
Tourism

Shantanu Thakur
Hon'ble Union Minister of State for
Ports, Shipping and Waterways

E.V. Velu
Hon'ble Minister for Public Works,
Highways and Minor Ports,
Tamil Nadu

P. Geetha Jeevan
Hon'ble Minister for
Social Welfare &
Women Empowerment

Kanimozhi Karunanidhi
Hon'ble Member of Parliament,
Thoothukkudi