



Solarisation of Lighthouses

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The Government has solarised all 193 lighthouses in the country during 2014-15 to 2016-17. The details of the funds allocated and spent for this during the last three years and current year are as under: -

S. No.	Year	Fund Allocated (Rs. in lakh)	Expenditure incurred (Rs. in lakh)
1.	2014-15	38.42	37.54
2.	2015-16	336.50	336.49
3.	2016-17	714.39	713.58

The state/UT-wise list of Lighthouses solarised during 2014-15 to 2016-17 is as under:

S.No.	Name of the State/UT.	No. of Lighthouse
1.	Gujarat	48
2.	Maharashtra	20
3.	Goa	3
4.	Karnataka	10
5.	West Bengal	2
6.	Kerala & Lakshadweep Islands.	32
7.	Tamil Nadu	19
8.	Pondicherry	2
9.	Andhra Pradesh	18
10.	Odisha	6
11.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	33
	Total	193

This information was given by Minister of State for Shipping and Road Transport and Highways Shri Pon. Radhakrishnan in a written reply to a question in the Lok Sabha today.

