

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
DEPARTMENT FOR PROMOTION OF INDUSTRY AND INTERNAL TRADE
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3770.
TO BE ANSWERED ON TUESDAY, THE 11TH AUGUST, 2026.**

SALT LEASE IN ODISHA

3770. SHRI MATHESWARAN V S:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY** be pleased to state:

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री

- (a) the details of land which are possession of Lease holders and tender allottees out of 6718.91 acres of Salt land in Odisha; and
- (b) the details of compensation policy fixed by Salt Department to implement DPIIT order dated 03.02.2025?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री जितिन प्रसाद)

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
(SHRI JITIN PRASADA)**

- (a): The details of land which are in possession of leaseholders, out of 6718.91 acres of Salt land in Odisha whose ownership is vested with Salt Commissioner Office, is as given at **Annexure**.
- (b): In terms of Internal Policy guidelines dated 23 August 2024 on the matter of salt land transfer, the transferee agency is responsible for compensation to the lessees, if any, for extinguishing the lease hold rights and meeting the cost of rehabilitation of the salt workers.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3770 FOR ANSWER ON 11.08.2026.

Salt Land in Odisha in possession of leaseholder

S. No.	Lease Number	Lease Area (Acres)	Lease upto
(I)	GANJAM & GOKA SALT FACTORY		
1	26	1.8	31-12-2027
2	19	91.38	31-12-2027
3	1	2.00	31-12-2027
4	2	14.69	31-12-2027
5	3	1.79	31-12-2027
6	6	30.94	31-12-2027
7	7	2.83	31-12-2027
8	13	2.81	31-12-2027
9	17	2.62	31-12-2027
10	18	30.85	31-12-2027
11	22	30.43	31-12-2027
12	23	8.94	31-12-2027
13	33	5.93	12-08-2026
14	P 1/1	2.29	31-12-2027
15	P 1/2	2.41	31-12-2027
16	24	26.73	31-12-2027
17	10	61.83	31-12-2027
18	16	91.48	31-12-2027
(II)	SURLA SALT FACTORY		
1	3	66.00	31-07-2028
	Total (I+II)	477.75	
