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To

**Shri. Vijay Kumar Meena,**  
Assistant Director  
Department of Commerce,  
Ministry of Commerce & Industry,  
New Delhi – 110 107.

Sir,

Sub: Lok Sabha Unstarred Dy No. 5536 due to answer on  
04.12.2019 – reg.

Ref: MOC&I e-mail dated 26.11.2019.

- a) Whether the Government has taken any steps to acquire back the land that had been allotted as Special Economic Zones but is not being utilized for the said purpose;

**Reply:-** As recovery of land by Government is a policy decision, MOC&I may suitably reply.

- b) If so the details thereof; and

**Reply:-** MOC&I may suitably reply taking into consideration reply to Question (a) above.

- c) The steps being taken by the Government to curb the misuse of the land allotted as Special Economic Zones?

**Reply:-** MOC&I may suitably reply.

Government has taken action for cancellation of Letters of Approval of SEZs/de-notification of SEZs, after payment of applicable dues to Government, in cases where the Developers of SEZs had not taken any steps to operationalise the SEZs despite extensions of LOA granted to them.

This is issued with the approval of Development Commissioner, MEPZ SEZ.

Yours sincerely,

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वाणिज्य विभाग, विकास आयुक्त का कार्यालय,  
मेप्स विशेष आर्थिक क्षेत्र, तमिलनाडु, पांडिचरी,  
अंडमान और निकोबार द्वीप समूह के शत-प्रतिशत  
निर्यात अभिमुख एकक, चेन्नै - 45.

Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry,  
Department of Commerce,  
Office of the Development Commissioner,  
**MEPZ SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE &  
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