

LIST OF SUBJECTS

1. SHIPPING

- a) Availability of shipping space for export of goods from India;
- b) Introduction of new shipping services to foreign countries;
- c) Standing Committees on shipping matters at different ports in India;
- d) Shipping plans;
- e) Shipping matters in the trade agreements between India and other countries;
- f) Meetings of SCOPE-SHIPPING (Standing Committee on Promotion of Exports by Shipping).

2. PORTS

All matters relating to ports including port charges, port facilities for exporters, strikes and their effects on exports etc.

3. CONTAINERISATION

Establishment of Inland Container Depots (ICDs)/Container Freight Stations (CFSs), Inter Ministerial Committee for single window clearance of proposals for ICDs/CFSs and other aspects related to containerisation.

- 4. Matters relating to 'Services Sector.

5. MISCELLANEOUS

Miscellaneous work relating to transport such as transit trade, opening of new trade routes; cooperation in shipping and other transport matters with foreign governments; National Shipping Board, National Harbour Board.

- 6. All matters relating to Infrastructure namely of Ministries/Departments of Power, Civil Aviation, Surface Transport, Ports, Railways, Communication, Petroleum and Natural Gas, Non Conventional Energy and Coal would be handled by Infrastructure Section.