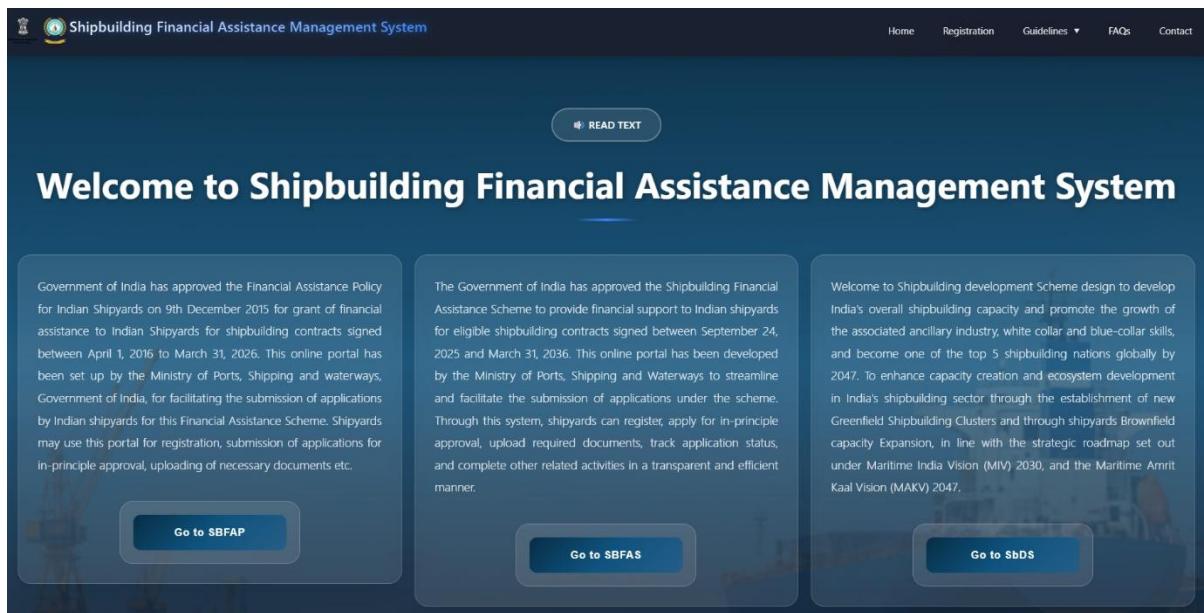


## The SbDS Brownfield Shipyard Capacity Expansion Portal Is Now Live!

The Directorate General of Shipping is pleased to announce that the **online portal for the Shipbuilding Development Scheme (SbDS) – Brownfield Shipyard Capacity Expansion** is now live, marking a significant step forward in strengthening India's shipbuilding ecosystem.



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**SBFAP**

Government of India has approved the Financial Assistance Policy for Indian Shipyards on 9th December 2015 for grant of financial assistance to Indian Shipyards for shipbuilding contracts signed between April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2026. This online portal has been set up by the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways, Government of India, for facilitating the submission of applications by Indian shipyards for this Financial Assistance Scheme. Shipyards may use this portal for registration, submission of applications for in-principle approval, uploading of necessary documents etc.

**SBFAS**

The Government of India has approved the Shipbuilding Financial Assistance Scheme to provide financial support to Indian shipyards for eligible shipbuilding contracts signed between September 24, 2025 and March 31, 2036. This online portal has been developed by the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways to streamline and facilitate the submission of applications under the scheme. Through this system, shipyards can register, apply for in-principle approval, upload required documents, track application status, and complete other related activities in a transparent and efficient manner.

**SbDS**

Welcome to Shipbuilding development Scheme design to develop India's overall shipbuilding capacity and promote the growth of the associated ancillary industry, white collar and blue-collar skills, and become one of the top 5 shipbuilding nations globally by 2047. To enhance capacity creation and ecosystem development in India's shipbuilding sector through the establishment of new Greenfield Shipbuilding Clusters and through shipyards Brownfield capacity Expansion, in line with the strategic roadmap set out under Maritime India Vision (MIV) 2030, and the Maritime Amrit Kaal Vision (MAKV) 2047.

The newly launched digital platform provides a **seamless, end-to-end online mechanism** for submission, processing, and real-time tracking of applications in accordance with the **recently notified SbDS guidelines**.

◆ **Portal Link:** <https://shipbuilding.dgshipping.gov.in>

Under the **₹8,261 crore SbDS Brownfield Capacity Expansion component**, Indian shipyards can now submit proposals through a **transparent and efficient digital system**, monitor the status of their applications, and access detailed scheme information—substantially improving **ease of doing business** and streamlining regulatory processes.

This enhanced digital initiative supports capacity modernisation, technology upgradation, and infrastructure expansion of existing shipyards, contributing to India's long-term objective of building a **world-class, globally competitive shipbuilding industry by 2047**.



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