

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2338
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2022

PRESERVATION OF HERITAGE ASSOCIATED WITH DR. AMBEDKAR

2338. SHRI MANOJ TIWARI:
SHRI RAVI KISHAN:
SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:
SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA:
SHRI SANJAY SADASHIVRAO MANDLIK:
SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:
SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:
SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBHAJIRAO MANE:
SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:
SHRI SUBRAT PATHAK:

Will the Minister of Culture be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the National Monuments Authority(NMA) has recommended two sites associated with Dr. Ambedkar to be declared as monuments of the national importance;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether it is true that many monuments/memories associated with the father of Indian Constitution Dr. Ambedkar in different parts of the country are in a dilapidated condition and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government has taken cognizance regarding dilapidated condition of such monuments and if so, the steps taken by the Government to revamp them; and
- (e) the details of other steps taken by the Government to preserve the heritage of Dr. Ambedkar?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURISM AND
DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

- (a)&(b) Yes Sir, NMA has suggested for protection of 1.Sankalp Bhoomi, Vadodara (Gujarat) and 2.Pratap Rao Bhosle High School, Satara (Maharashtra).
- (c)to(e) Such memorials/buildings are under control of different organizations. Further, Government also supports proper upkeep and maintenance of various memorials/buildings.
