

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM AND CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:890

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TOURISM DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR HAMPPI BY KARNATAKA

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Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government of Karnataka has submitted a plan to the Union Government for tourism development of Hampi;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the funds allocated for the purpose;
- (c) the ratio of share to be borne by the Centre and the State
- (d) whether there is any proposal to hand over development of Hampi to some foreign agency; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI ANANTHKUMAR)

(a)to (c) : Development of tourism infrastructure is primarily undertaken by the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations. However, the Central Department of Tourism provides financial assistance for tourism projects prioritised in consultation with them every year.

During the current financial year two projects of Hampi with Central component of Rs.83.00 lakhs have been prioritised in consultation with the State Government of Karnataka.

(d): No, Sir.

(e): Does not arise.