

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

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ADVENTURE AND CULTURE TOURISM  
Rao Shri Kavuru Samba Siva

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

- (a) whether the Union Government has received any proposals from the North Eastern States to promote adventure and culture tourism;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the action taken by the Union Government thereon?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SMT. AMBIKA SONI)

(a), (b) and (c): Development and promotion of tourism is primarily the responsibility of the respective State Government/UT Administration. However, the Department of Tourism, Government of India provides financial assistance for tourism related projects which are prioritized/identified in consultation with the State Government/UT Administration. The proposals prioritized/identified to promote adventure and culture tourism in North-Eastern States for the financial year 2005-06, details of the proposals state-wise and amount sanctioned/released by Department of Tourism, Government of India are indicated in the Annexure.