

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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INCLUSION OF PARAMAHANSA AND JAGANNATH TEMPLES IN CPM LIST

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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received any representation from the Government of Orissa to include Paramahansa and Jagannath Temples in the list of Centrally Protected Monuments (CPM); and

(b) if so, the action taken by the Union Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER FOR TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI)

(a)&(b) No, Sir. However, the Lord Jagannath Temple, Puri and Jagannath Temple, Jajpur in Orissa are already declared as monuments of national importance.