

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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CULTURAL HERITAGE CENTRES
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of cultural heritage centres and other places of heritage of importance identified in various States, especially in backward and rural regions as on date;
- (b) the measures taken by the Central and State Governments for their protection and conservation; and
- (c) the funds allocated for this purpose during the last three years and the current year?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SMT. AMBIKA SONI)

- (a) to (c): The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.