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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of heritage sites/historical monuments adopted by the Archaeological Survey of India for restoration and renovation during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) the funds made available to each State during the above period; and
- (c) the names of the sites that have been developed till date in each State?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS(SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY)

- (a) The details of heritage monuments / sites taken by Archaeological Survey of India for conservation during the last three years and current year, State-wise are at Annexure-I.
- (b) The details of amount spent during the last three years and provision for the current financial year, State-wise, are at Annexure – II.
- (c) State-wise list of protected monuments is given in Annexure – III. Conservation of monuments is a continuous process. Every year special repairs work is attended at selected monuments, depending upon the availability of resources and requirements at site. However, annual repairs work is attended at all the protected monuments depending upon the availability of funds. The protected monuments are in good state of preservation.