

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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CORPUS FUND FOR S.V. PATEL'S MEMORIAL
Rathwa Shri Ramsinhbhai Patalbhai

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering a proposal to give corpus fund for development and maintenance of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Memorial at Karamsad;
- (b) if so, the time by which a final decision is likely to be taken;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the funds likely to be sanctioned in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) to (d): Yes, Sir. A decision has already been taken by the Government to sanction a one-time capital grant of Rs.3 crore and an appropriate annual maintenance grant to Sardar Patel Trust for development and maintenance of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel-Veer Vithalbhai Patel Memorial at Karamsad, Gujarat.