

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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CONSERVATION OF MONUMENTS

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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details schemes for renovation and development of heritage forts, palaces, religious places and memorials in the country including in Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, Delhi and Uttaranchal;
- (b) the amount of funds sanctioned and spent during the last three years and the current year, year-wise, and State-wise; and
- (c) the details of works undertaken in this regard, during the above period?

Answer

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

(a)to(c) Conservation of the monuments is a continuous process. Every year conservation programme is reviewed wherein completed works are dropped and new works are incorporated depending upon the availability of resources and requirements at site. The details of conservation works taken in the last three years and current financial year are at Annexure-I.

The details of amounts spent during the last three years and provision for current financial year, year-wise and State-wise are at Annexure – II.