

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5895
ANSWERED ON:30.04.2010
WILD LIFE TOURISM PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Wild Life Tourism Projects sanctioned by the Government during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) the allocation of funds made so far for these projects during the said period, State-wise; and
- (c) the achievements made in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM(SHRI SULTAN AHMED)

(a) to (c): Development and Promotion of Tourism including wild life tourism is primarily undertaken by the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations. However, Ministry of Tourism extends Central Financial Assistance (CFA) to the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations for tourism projects/events on the basis of proposals received from the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations, subject to availability of funds, inter-se priority and adherence to scheme guidelines. Details of projects sanctioned by Ministry of Tourism including wild life tourism in the last three years, State/Union Territory wise is at Annexure.

Implementation of projects sanctioned by the Ministry of Tourism, is the responsibility of the concerned State Governments/Union Territory Administration. However, the Ministry of Tourism monitors physical and financial progress of the sanctioned projects through site visits and periodic reviews.

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5895 ANSWERED ON 30.4.2010 REGARDING WILD LIFE TOURISM PROJECTS. TOURISM PROJECTS SANCTIONED DURING THE FIRST THREE YEARS (2007-08, 2008-09 AND 2009-10) OF ELEVENTH FIVE YEAR PLAN (Rs. in lakhs)

Sr.No	State	Number of Project	Amount Sanctioned
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1	Andhra Pradesh	30	14,269.82
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2	Arunachal Pradesh	37	10,131.06
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3	Andman & Nicobar	0	0
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4	Assam	15	4,455.39
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5	Bihar	15	3,923.60
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6	Chandigarh	14	2,858.71
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7	Chattisgarh	6	2,427.91
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8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	3	24.88
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9	Daman & Diu	1	12.50
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10	Delhi	19	6,641.83
11	Goa	3	4,814.91
12	Gujarat	12	3,430.76
13	Haryana	22	5,957.79
14	Himachal Pradesh	25	7,648.88
15	Jammu and Kashmir	91	15,163.90
16	Jharkhand	10	1,155.47
17	Kerala	29	8,692.70
18	Karnataka	22	10,520.10
19	Lakshadweep	1	782.73
20	Maharashtra	11	5,890.29
21	Manipur	25	7,344.17
22	Meghalaya	15	3,386.32
23	Mizoram	16	4,417.25
24	Madhya Pradesh	37	11,991.65
25	Nagaland	47	7,260.74
26	Orissa	29	9,717.77
27	Puducherry	13	2,421.66
28	Punjab	7	3,313.94
29	Rajasthan	19	8,565.41
30	Sikkim	67	16,075.83
31	Tamil Nadu	37	8,005.82
32	Tripura	30	3,539.00
33	Uttar Pradesh	17	7,511.72
34	Uttarakhand	8	6,604.07
35	West Bengal	28	9,398.06
	GRAND TOTAL	761	218,356.64