

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:45

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CELEBRATION OF BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF VIVEKANANDA

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**Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to celebrate the 150th Birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda during 2013-14 all over the country;
- (b) if so, the details of the proposed celebrations and programmes thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to give any assistance to various organizations such as the Ramakrishna Mission that are engaged in preparation for celebrating the occasion; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION & MINISTER OF CULTURE(KUMARI SELJA)

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b) to (d): Details of the proposals and the organizations being assisted are given in the Annexure.