

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2736  
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BHADRAPADA SAKA HERITAGE SITES IN MADHYA PRADESH  
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**Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of the heritage sites in Madhya Pradesh which are not under the Archaeological Survey of India;
- (b) the names of such heritage sites for which the State Government of Madhya Pradesh has requested to provide separate funds for their conservation; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government on these proposals?

**Answer**

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

(a)(b) &(c) As per available information, total of 349 monuments are protected by the State Government of Madhya Pradesh, and are not under the protection of Archaeological Survey of India (ASI). The district wise details of number of monuments are at Annexure-I. No such proposal has been received by ASI from Government of Madhya Pradesh. However, 13th Finance Commission has provided specific Grants to Government of Madhya Pradesh, amounting to Rs.175.00 crores, for conservation of heritage sites, etc. of which Rs. 34.87 crores has been released so far. The names of the heritage sites for which funds were sought from the 13th Finance Commission are given in annexure-II.