

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2472

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SETTING UP OF HOSPITALITY DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION BOARD

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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has advised the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations to set up/constitute Hospitality Development and Promotion Board (HDPB) in their respective State/UT;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the progress made in this regard, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Union Government provides or proposes to provide fiscal allocation for this purpose to the State Governments/UTs; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof indicating the allocation made to the States/UTs in this regard, State/UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (DR.K.CHIRANJEEVI)

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b): The State Governments of Bihar, Mizoram, Manipur, Maharashtra, Jharkhand and Rajasthan have confirmed setting up similar boards.
- (c): No, Madam.
- (d): Does not arise.