

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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COMMEMORATION OF TIPU SULTAN
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the steps being taken by the Government to keep the memory of the great king of Mysore Tipu Sultan alive;
- (b) the manner in which his contribution to the victory over British at the age of 18 years would be kept alive; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF CULTURE SMT. CHANDRESH KUIMARI KATOCH

(a) The following centrally protected monuments relating to Tipu Sultan are under Archaeological Survey of India:

- (i) Palace of Tipu Sultan, Bangalore.
- (ii) Birth place of Tipu Sultan, Devenhalli.
- (iii) Tipu Sultan Upper Fort and citadel, Bellary.
- (iv) Daria Daulat Bagh, Srirangapatna
- (v) Gumbaj containing Tomb of Tipu Sultan, Srirangapatna.
- (vi) Jumma Masjid, Srirangapatna.
- (vii) Spot where Tipu's body was found, Srirangapatna.

All the above monuments are well preserved and in fairly good condition.

- (b) The wall paintings depicting the 2nd Mysore war, commemorating the victory of Tipu Sultan over the British are well preserved at Daria Daulat Bagh, &
- (c) Srirangapatna.