

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

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MAINTENANCE OF HISTORICAL PLACES AND SITES  
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**Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the norms fixed for the private sector companies which have been entrusted the job of maintenance of historical places and heritage sites;
- (b) whether these companies are not following the said norms while maintaining and protecting these places and sites; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the action taken against the erring companies?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF CULTURE (SMT. CHANDRESH KUMARI KATOCH)

- (a) No protected monument of Archaeological Survey of India has been entrusted to any private sector company for its maintenance.
- (b) Does not arise
- (c) Does not arise