

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEVELOPMENT OF SRI CHALUVARAYA SWAMY TEMPLE
Swamygowda Shri N Cheluvaraya Swamy

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government released funds for development of Sri Chaluaraya Swamy Temple in Melukotte, Mandya District of Karnataka;
- (b) if so, the details of works likely to be taken up for the development of temple; and
- (c) the time by which the work on this project is likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY)

(a)&(b) A provision of Rs.10 lakhs has been made in the current financial year (2009-10) for conservation of Sri Chaluaraya Swamy Temple in Melukotte, Mandya District of Karnataka. In this connection, the following works are taken up:

- a) Three phase electrification of the temple complex.
 - b) Application of the colour wash to the temple complex.
 - c) Providing new drainage to the kitchen block to drain out waste water from the temple including de-silting.
 - d) Providing plinth protection course to the temple complex.
- (c) It may take about 3 years to complete the project.