

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6043
ANSWERED ON:03.05.2013
MAHAKUMBH MELA IN UJJAIN
Guddu Shri Premchandra

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposals/suggestions relating to tourism regarding Singhashta Mahakumbh Mela to be held in 2016 in Ujjain in Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the action taken on the proposals/suggestions received so far along with the funds provided/to be provided for the purpose; and
- (d) the time by which all the proposals received in this regard are likely to be approved?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (DR. K. CHIRANJEEVI)

(a) to (d): Yes, Madam. The State Government has submitted project in the year 2012-13 for Development of Ujjain, where Singhashta Mahakumbha Mela will be held in the year 2016.

The Ministry of Tourism has sanctioned the project for central financial assistance of Rs.4000.00 lakh in the year 2012-13. In this regard the State Government has not prioritized any other project in the current financial year.