

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

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LANGUAGES AND SCRIPTS  
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**Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of languages and scripts prevailing in India as per the latest Linguistic survey: State and language-wise; and
- (b) the steps taken to preserve the scripts including tribal scripts in the country, so far?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF CULTURE (SHRIMATI CHANDRESH KUMARI KATOCH)

(a) & (b) These questions pertain to Ministry of Human Resource and Development and the reply is being collected from them.