

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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CORPUS FUND FOR DEVELOPMENT OF MEMORIAL
Rathwa Shri Ramsinhbhai Patalbhai

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering a proposal to provide corpus fund for development and maintenance of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Memorial at Karamsad in Gujarat;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the amount earmarked and the time by which it is likely to be provided; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF CULTURE (SMT. CHANDRESH KUMARI KATOCH)

- (a) No, Madam. There is no proposal to provide corpus fund for development and maintenance of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Memorial at Karamsad in Gujarat.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) Ministry of Culture has released a one-time grant of Rs3.00 crore during 2009-10 and 2010-11 to Sardar Patel Trust, Karamsad for development and maintenance of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Memorial at Karamsad. It has also been decided to provide an annual maintenance grant for this Memorial.