

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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SPECIAL PACKAGE FOR ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a special package has been sought for archaeological sites in Maharashtra including Aurangabad district;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government so far, along with the results thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF CULTURE (SHRIMATI CHANDRESH KUMARI KATOCH)

(a)to(c) There is no special package that has been sought for archaeological sites in Maharashtra including Aurangabad district, as such. However, Archaeological Survey of India proposes to have a Memorandum of Understanding with the Government of Maharashtra to provide basic tourist infrastructure at centrally protected monuments in Maharashtra.