

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4662
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ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR WEST ZONE CULTURAL CENTRE
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether budget allocation is made for West Zone Cultural Centre of Udaipur;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the location-wise programmes organised by the said centre so far along with the expenditure incurred thereon during the last two years; and
- (d) the calendar of events proposed to be held by the said centre during the forthcoming year along with the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (I/C) FOR CULTURE AND TOURISM AND MINISTER OF STATE FOR CIVIL AVIATION (DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) The Government provides Plan Grant-in-aid to West Zone Culture Centre, Udaipur. During the year 2013-14, total grant of `429.35 lakhs was provided.

(c) The WZCC organises programmes in all the Member States i.e. Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Union Territory (UT) of Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli. The details of State-wise number of programmes organised and the expenditure incurred during the last two years are as under:

(`in Lakh)

Sl. No.	Member State	Number of programmes organised	Expenditure incurred
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	2012-13	2013-14	2012-13	2013-14	
i.	Rajasthan	77	59	242.24	246.30
ii.	Maharashtra	8	23	66.99	134.56
iii.	Goa	14	16	40.20	71.91
iv.	Gujarat	14	14	29.32	26.16
v.	UT of Daman, Diu & Dadra & Nagar Haveli	12	12	18.78	10.53

(d) The calendar of events for the forthcoming year has not yet been finalised.