

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING  
LOK SABHA**

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NATIONAL FILM HERITAGE MISSION  
Chautala Shri Dushyant

**Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to launch National Film Heritage Mission(NFHM) to preserve heritage films in the country;
- (b) if so, the details and the present status of NFHM along with numbers of heritage films preserved through this mission;
- (c) whether the Government also proposes to include visual articles for archives; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING  
(COL RAJYAVARDHAN RATHORE (Retd.))

(a) to (d): National Film Heritage Mission (NFHM) is a new Plan Scheme to restore, digitize and archive films and filmic material through National Film Archive of India. Administrative approval for implementation of the scheme has been issued on 24.11.2014 to undertake preservation and restoration of India's film heritage in a mission mode spread over a period of 7 years with a total outlay of Rs.597.41 Crore.