

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1002
ANSWERED ON:27.07.2015
Wi-Fi Service at Heritage Sites
Kateel Shri Nalin Kumar

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1002. SHRI NALIN KUMAR KATEEL:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is planning to introduce free Wi-Fi services at some heritage sites of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has any proposal to extend the said services at all the major heritage sites of the country including Karnataka;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time by which Wi-Fi is likely to be installed at all heritage sites?

Answer

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE, CULTURE AND TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) AND MINISTER OF STATE, CIVIL AVIATION
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a)&(b) Archaeological Survey of India has identified 25 Adarsh Monuments (centrally protected monuments), to provide Wi-Fi facility, which would be available free of cost for the first 30 minutes and thereafter it is chargeable on additional usage. List of 25 monuments is at Annexure.

- (c) There is no proposal.
- (d)&(e) Does not arise.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a)&(b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1002 FOR 27.7.2015

Details of Adarsh Smarak (protected monuments) identified for providing Wi-Fi facility

SL.NO.	NAME OF MONUMENT	STATE
1	Rang Ghar, Sibsagar	Assam

2 Vaishali- Kolhua Bihar
3 Humayun's Tomb, Delhi
NCT Delhi
4 Qutb Complex, Delhi
5 Red Fortj, Delhi
6 Rani-ki-Vav, Patan Gujarat
7 Rock-cut Temples, Masroor Himachal Pradesh
8 Leh Palace, Leh Jammu & Kashmir
9 Sun Temple at Martand
10 Ruins at Hampi, Bellary Karnataka
11 Group of Monuments at Pattadakal
12 Elephanta Caves, Mumbai Maharashtra
13 Fort at Daultabad
14 Monuments at Mandu Madhya Pradesh
15 Group of temples at Khajuraho
16 Sun Temple, Konark Odisha
17 Kumbhalgarh Fort, Kelwada Rajasthan
18 Shore Temple, Mahabalipuram Tamil Nadu
19 Brihadeshwar Temple, Thanjavur
20 Taj Mahal, Agra
Uttar Pradesh
21 Group of Monuments at Fatehpur Sikri
22 Ancient Site at Sravasti
23 Excavated Site Sarnath, Varanasi
24 Group of Temples at Jageshwar Uttarakhand
25 Hazardwari Palace, Murshidabad West Bengal