

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

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Development of Historical Places in Chhattisgarh
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to develop historical and other tourist places of Korba, Koriya and Surguja district in Chhattisgarh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the details of the other places identified for the said projects in Chhattisgarh; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government for earliest implementation of the projects?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Tourism provides Central Financial Assistance (CFA) to State Governments/Union Territory Administrations for various tourism projects in consultation with them, subject to availability of funds, inter-se priority, liquidation of pending utilization certificates and adherence to the scheme guidelines.

The Government of Chhattisgarh was sanctioned Rs.468.41 lakh for the project 'Infrastructure and Destination Development of Mainpat- Surguja District' in the year 2005-06. The project has since been completed. However, presently there is no proposal for development of historical and other tourist places of Korba, Koriya and Surguja district in Chhattisgarh.
