

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA**

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TOURISM CENTRES IN JHARKHAND
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any action has been taken for development and expansion of tourism centres in Jharkhand;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years;
- (c) the amount allocated for the said work in Jharkhand during the said period; and
- (d) the details of the utilisation of the said funds?

Answer

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

(a): Development and promotion of tourism is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations. Ministry of Tourism provides Central Financial Assistance (CFA) for tourism projects which are identified in consultation with the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations and funds released for the projects that are complete as per scheme guidelines, subject to availability of funds and utilisation of funds released earlier.

(b) to (d): Details of the projects sanctioned, amount allocated and utilisation of funds during last three years are given below :-

(Rs. In lakh)

Year	No. of Projects	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released	Amount Utilized
2011-12	6	4814.42	1629.87	0.05
2012-13	2	4885.71	2142.35	555.70
2013-14	1	500.00	100.00	0.00