

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2344
ANSWERED ON 08.07.2019**

**DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION OF NEW TOURIST SPOTS IN
JHARKHAND**

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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has identified new tourist spots in the country during the last three years for their expansion, beautification and upgradation for the development and promotion of tourism;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the locations where new tourist spots have been developed during last three years and the amount spent thereon, State/UT-wise including Jharkhand and Bihar;**
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to improve connectivity and other facilities at the existing and proposed new tourist destinations in Jharkhand, Bihar and rest of the country;**
- (d) whether the Government proposes to develop these new places along with the existing tourist places to promote tourism in the country; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the action taken to develop the tourism sector in various States of the country, State/UT-wise?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a) to (e): Identification of new tourism spots for development is primarily the responsibility of the concerned State Governments/Union Territory (UT) Administrations. The Ministry of

Tourism, however, under the schemes of Swadesh Darshan and PRASHAD, provides central financial assistance to State Governments/UT Administrations for development of tourism infrastructure in the country, for the projects identified in consultation with them, subject to submission of project proposals, their adherence to relevant scheme guidelines, submission of suitable detailed project reports, availability of funds and utilization of funds released earlier.

The details of projects sanctioned by the Ministry under the above schemes during 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 is given at the Annexure.

To improve connectivity at the tourist destinations, the Ministry, under the above schemes, provides funds for last mile connectivity, construction of heliports, passenger terminals, jetties etc. The Ministry also, from time to time, takes up the issue of connectivity of various areas with other line Ministries and departments like MoRTH, NHAI, M/o Railways, MOCA etc. through the forums of National Steering Committee of Swadesh Darshan and PRASHAD Schemes.

ANNEXURE**STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) To (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2344 ANSWERED ON 08.07.2019 REGARDING DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION OF NEW TOURIST SPOTS IN JHARKHAND**

The details of projects sanctioned by the Ministry under the Swadesh Darshan and PRASHAD schemes during 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 is as below:

SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME-**(Rs. in crore)**

Sl. No.	State/UT	Name of the Circuit	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned	Amount release
Year 2016-17					
1.	Goa	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit (Sinquerim-Baga, Anjuna-Vagator, Morjim-Keri, Aguada Fort and Aguada Jail) in Goa.	99.99	79.99
2.	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourism Infrastructure Projects in the State of Jammu and Kashmir.	82.97	41.48
3.	Telangana	Tribal Circuit	Integrated Development of Mulugu-Laknavaram-Medavaram-Tadvai- Damaravi-Mallur- Bogatha Waterfalls as Tribal Circuit in Telangana.	83.88	65.27
4.	Meghalaya	North East Circuit	Development of Umium (Lake View), U Lum	99.13	79.31

			Sohpetbneng-Mawdiangdiang – Orchid Lake Resort, Meghalaya.		
5.	Madhya Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist Circuit in Sanchi-Satna-Rewa-Mandsaur-Dhar in Madhya Pradesh.	74.94	54.51
6.	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Sabarimala - Erumeli-Pampa-Sannidhanam as a Spiritual Circuit in District Pathanamthitta, Kerala.	99.99	20.00
7.	Manipur	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit – Shri Govindajee Temple, Shri Bijoy Govindajee Temple – Shri Gopinath Temple – Shri Bungshibodon Temple – Shri Kaina Temple, Manipur.	53.80	40.14
8.	Gujarat	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit in Ahmedabad-Rajkot- Porbandar –Bardoli- Dandi in Gujarat.	85.01	42.13
9.	Haryana	Krishna Circuit	Development of Tourism Infrastructures at places related to Mahabharata in Kurukshetra, Haryana.	97.35	70.60

10.	Rajasthan	Krishna Circuit	Integrated Development of Govind Dev ji temple (Jaipur), Khatu Shyam Ji (Sikar) and Nathdwara (Rajsamand) in Rajasthan.	91.45	45.72
11.	Sikkim	North East circuit	Development of Tourist Circuit Linking Singtam-Maka-Temi-Bermoik Tokel-Phongia- Namchi – Jorthang- Okharey-Sombaria-Daramdin-Jorethang- Melli (Exit) in Sikkim.	95.32	73.22
12.	Madhya Pradesh	Heritage circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit (Gwalior – Orchha – Khajuraho – Chanderi – Bhimbetka – Mandu) Madhya Pradesh	92.97	57.06
13.	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Sree Padmanabha Arnamula-Sabrimala-as a Spiritual Circuit in Kerala	92.22	72.42
14.	Bihar	Tirthankar circuit	Development of Tirthankar Circuit: Vaishali- Arrah-Masad- Patna-Rajgir- Pawapuri-Champapuri in Bihar.	52.39	26.19
15.	Bihar	Spiritual	Integrated	52.35	26.17

		circuit	Development of Kanwaria Route: Sultanganj – Dharmshala-Deoghar under Spiritual circuit in Bihar.		
16.	Odisha	Coastal circuit	Development of Gopalpur, Barkul, Satapada and Tampara as Coastal circuit in Odisha.	76.49	37.61
17.	Nagaland	Tribal circuit	Development of Tribal circuit (Mokokchung–Tuensang-Mon) in Nagaland	99.67	78.09
18.	Uttarakhand	Heritage circuit	Integrated Development of Heritage Circuit in Kumaon Region – Katarmal – Jogeshwar-Bajjnath-Devidhura in Uttarakhand.	79.13	40.97
19.	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Jammu-Rajouri-Shopian-Pulwama under Himalayan Circuit theme in J&K.	96.38	48.19
20.	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities under the Construction of Assets in lieu of those Destroyed in Floods in 2014	90.96	74.70

			under PM Development Package for J&K		
21.	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist facilities at Mantalai-Sudhmahadev-Patnitop under Himalayan Circuit Theme in J&K.	97.82	44.52
22.	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Anantnag-Kishtwar-Pahalgam – Daksum – Ranjit Sagar Dam under Himalayan Circuit Theme in J&K.	96.39	48.19
23.	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Gulmarg-Baramulla-Kupwara-Leh Circuit under Himalayan Circuit Theme in J&K.	96.93	45.51
24.	Uttar Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist Circuit – Srawasti, Kushinagar, & Kapilvastu in Uttar Pradesh.	99.97	45.03
25.	Uttar Pradesh	Ramayana Circuit	Development of Chitrakoot and Shringverpur as Ramayana Circuit in Uttar Pradesh	69.45	52.17
26.	Andaman &	Coastal	Development of	42.19	8.44

	Nicobar Islands	Circuit	Coastal Circuit (Long Island-Ross Smith Island- Neil Island- Havelock Island- Baratang Island-Port Blair) in Andaman & Nicobar under Coastal thematic circuit of Swadesh Darshan Scheme.		
27.	Tamil Nadu	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit (Chennai- Mamamallapuram – Rameshwaram – Manpadu – Kanyakumari) in Tamil Nadu under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.92	49.96
28.	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit (Shahjahanpur- Basti- Ahar- Aligarh-Kasgunj- Sarosi-Pratapgarh- Unnao-Kaushambi- Mirzapur-Gorakpur- Kairana- Doamriyagunj- Bagpat-Barabanki- Azamgarh)	68.39	54.71
29.	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit – II(Bijnor- Meerut- Kanpur- Kanpur Dehat- Banda- Ghazipur- Salempur- Ghosi- Balia- Ambedkar Nagar- Aligarh-	63.77	50.33

			Fatehpur- Deoria- Mahoba- Sonbhadra- Chandauli- Mishrikh- Bhadohi) in Uttar Pradesh under Swadesh Darshan Scheme		
30.	Uttar Pradesh	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit(Kalinjar Fort (Banda)- MarharDham (SantKabir Nagar)- ChauriChaura, Shaheed Sthal (Fatehpur)- Mavahar Sthal (Ghosi)- Shaheed Smarak (Meerut) in Uttar Pradesh under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	34.82	18.76
31.	Bihar	Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist circuit- Construction of Convention Centre at Bodhgaya, Bihar	98.73	19.75
32.	Assam	Heritage Circuit	Development of Tezpur – Majuli – Sibsagar as Heritage Circuit in Assam under Swadesh Darshan scheme	98.35	19.67
33.	Himachal Pradesh	Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Himalayan Circuit: Kiarighat, Shimla, Hatkoti, Manali, Kangra, Dharamshala, Bir,	86.85	19.95

			Palampur, Chamba		
34.	Mizoram	Eco Circuit	Development of Eco-Adventure Circuit Aizawl - Rawpuichhip - Khawhphawp - Lengpui - Durtlang - Chatlang-Sakawrhmutuaitlang - Muthee - Beratlawng - Tuirial Airfield - Hmuifang under Eco circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.07	49.53
35.	Rajasthan	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit- Churu (Salasar Balaji)- Jaipur (Shri Samode Balaji, Ghat ke Balaji, Bandhe ke Balaji)- Alwar (Pandupole Hanumanji, Bharathari)- Viratnagar (Bijak, Jainnasiya, Ambika Temple)- Bharatpur (Kaman Region)- Dholpur (Muchkund) - MehandipurBalaji- Chittorgarh (Sanwaliyaji) in Rajasthan under Swadesh Darshan scheme	93.90	46.95
36.	Gujarat	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage circuit: Vadnagar-	98.61	79.85

			Modhera and Patan in Gujarat under Swadesh Darshan Scheme		
Total for 2016-17				3041.55	1727.09
Year 2017-18					
37.	Bihar	Rural Circuit	Development of Gandhi Circuit: Bhitiharwa-Chandrahia-Turkaulia in Bihar under Rural Circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	44.65	21.24
38.	Goa	Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit II: Rua De Orum Creek - Don Paula - Colva - Benaulim in Goa under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.35	19.87
39.	Gujarat	Buddhist circuit	Development of Buddhist circuit: Junagadh- Gir Somnath- Bharuch- Kutch- Bhavnagar- Rajkot- Mehsana in Gujarat under Swadesh Darshan scheme	35.99	7.20
40.	Puducherry	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit in Puducherry under Swadesh Darshan Scheme.	66.35	13.27
41.	Puducherry	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Spiritual Circuit in Puducherry under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	40.68	19.26
42.	Rajasthan	Heritage	Development of	99.60	49.80

		Circuit	Heritage Circuit (Rajsamand (Kumbhalgarh Fort)- Jaipur (Nahargarh Fort)- Alwar (BalaQuila)- Sawai Madhopur (Ranthambore Fort and Khandar Fort)- Jhalawar (Gagron Fort)- Chittorgarh (Chittorgarh Fort) Jaisalmer (JaisalmerFort) Hanumangarh (Kalibangan, Bhatner Fort and Gogamedi)- Jalore (Jalore Fort)- Udaipur (Pratap Gaurav Kendra)- Dholpur (Bagh-i- Nilofar and Purani Chawni)- Nagaur(Meera Bai Smarak) in Rajasthan under Swadesh Darshan Scheme.		
43.	Telangana	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit: Qutub Shahi Heritage Park- Paigah Tombs- Hayat Bakshi Mosque- Raymond's Tomb in Telangana under Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.42	44.83
44.	Bihar	Spiritual	Development of	53.49	10.70

		Circuit	Mandar Hill & Ang Pradesh under Spiritual Circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme.		
45.	Madhya Pradesh	Eco Circuit	Development of Gandhisagar Dam-Mandleshwar Dam-Omkareshwar Dam- Indira Sagar Dam- Tawa Dam-Bargi Dam- Bheda Ghat- Bansagar Dam- Ken River under Eco circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	99.62	73.56
46.	Uttar Pradesh	Ramayana Circuit	Development of Ayodhya under Ramayana Circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	133.31	66.65
47.	Andhra Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist Circuit: Shalihundam-Thotlakonda-Bavikonda-Bojjanakonda-Amravati- Anupu in Andhra Pradesh under the theme of Buddhist Circuit of Swadesh Darshan Scheme	52.34	10.47
Total for 2017-18				824.8	336.85
Year 2018-19					
48.	Maharashtra	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Waki- Adasa-Dhapewada-Paradsingha-Chota Taj Bagh-Telankhandi- Girad	54.01	0.00

			in Maharashtra		
49.	--	Developmen t of Wayside Amenities (Sub- Scheme)	Development of Wayside Amenities in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar at Varanasi-Gaya; Lucknow-Ayodhya- Lucknow; Gorakhpur- Kushinagar; Kushinagar-Gaya- Kushinaga in collaboration with MoRTH	19.75	0.00
50.	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Jewar-Dadri- Sikandrabad- Noida-Khurja- Banda in Uttar Pradesh	14.52	0.00
51.	Jharkhand	Eco Circuit	Development of Eco Circuit: Dalma- Chandil- Getalsud- Betla national park- Mirchaiya- Netarhat in Jharkhand	52.72	0.00
52.	Tripura	North East circuit	Development of North East circuit: Surma Cherra- Unakoti- Jampui Hills- Gunabati- Bhunaneshwari- Matabari- Neermahal- Boxanagar- Chotta khola- Pilak- Avangchaarra in Tripura	65.00	0.00
53.	Punjab	Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit: Anandpur Sahib –	99.95	0.00

			Fatehgarh Sahib – Chamkaur Sahib – Ferozpur – Amritsar – Khatkar Kalan – Kalanour - Patiala in Punjab		
54.	Kerala	Rural Circuit	Development of Rural Circuit: Malanad Malabar Cruise Tourism Project in Kerala	80.37	0.00
55.	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit	Development Sivagiri Sree Narayana Guru Ashram- Arruvipuram- Kunnumpara Sree Subrahmania- Chembazhanthi Sree Narayana Gurukulam	69.47	0.00
56.	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Kasaragod, Wayanad, Kannur, Kozhikode, Palakkad, Mallapuram, Thrichur, Ernakulam, Idukki, Kottayam, Allaphuza, Pathananamithitta, Kollam, Trivandrum	85.23	0.00
57.	Meghalaya	North East Circuit	Development of West Khasi Hills (Nongkhlaw- Krem Tiroit - Khudoit & Kohmang Falls – Khri River- Mawthadraishan, Shillong), Jaintia	84.97	0.00

			Hills (Krang Suri Falls- Shyrmang-looksi), Garo Hills (Nokrek Reserve, Katta Beel, Siju Caves)		
58.	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit	Development of Gorakhnath Temple(Gorakhpur), Devipattan Temple (Balrampur) and Vatvashni Temple (Domariyagunj)	21.16	0.00
			Total for 2018-19	647.15	0.00

PRASHAD SCHEME-

(Rs. in crore)

Sl. No.	State	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released
Year 2016-17				
1	Gujarat	Development of Dwarka	26.23	6.85
2	Gujarat	Pilgrimage amenities at Somnath	37.44	26.51
3	Jammu & Kashmir	Development at Hazratbal,	42.02	25.45
4	Kerala	Development at Guruvayur Temple	46.14	36.91
5	Tamilnadu	Development of Kanchipuram	16.48	8.24
6	Tamilnadu	Development of Vellankani	5.60	2.59
7	West Bengal	Development of Belur	30.03	23.39
		Total for 2016-17	203.94	129.94
Year 2017-18				
8	Madhya Pradesh	Development of Omkareshwar	40.67	18.76
9	Uttar Pradesh	Cruise Tourism in River Ganga, Varanasi	10.72	5.14
10	Maharashtra	Development of Trimbakeshwar	37.81	8.49
11	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Varanasi Under Prashad Scheme - II	44.60	10.21
12	Andhra	Development of Srisailam	47.45	37.96

	Pradesh	Temple in Andhra Pradesh under PRASHAD scheme		
		Total for 2017-18	181.25	80.56
Year 2018-19				
13	Uttarakhand	Development of Infrastructure for Pilgrimage Facilitation in Badrinath Ji Dham (Uttarakhand)	39.24	11.77
14	Gujrat	Development of Promenade at Somnath,	44.59	13.77
15	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Govardhan, Mathura	39.74	0.0
16	Jharkhand	Development of Baidyanathji Dham, Deoghar	39.13	0.0
17	Nagaland	Development of Pilgrimage Facilities in Nagaland	25.26	0.0
Total for 2018-19			187.96	25.54
