GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TOURISM

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1243 ANSWERED ON 02.07.2019

SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME IN WEST BENGAL

1243. SHRIMATI SHANTA CHHETRI:

Will the Minister of **TOURISM** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry under the Swadesh Darshan Scheme of Theme-based Tourist Circuits in the country has identified any destinations for development within the State of West Bengal; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof'?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a) and (b): The Ministry of Tourism, under the Swadesh Darshan Scheme, has sanctioned the project 'Development of Coastal Circuit: Udaipur- Digha- Shankarpur- Tejpur-Mandarmani- Fraserganj-Bakkhlai- Henry Island' in West Bengal in the year 2015-16 for Rs.85.39 crore and has released Rs.61.96 crore under the project.
