

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†4595
ANSWERED ON 22.07.2019**

DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM CIRCUITS IN MADHYA PRADESH

†4595. SHRIMATI RITI PATHAK:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received proposals from the State Government of Madhya Pradesh regarding the scheme for the development of tourism circuits and tourist places;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the current status of the said proposals;**
- (c) the progress and achievement made in this regard, so far; and**
- (d) the details of the funds allocated and spent in this regard?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a) to (d): Ministry of Tourism under the schemes of Swadesh Darshan and PRASHAD provides financial assistance to State Governments/UT Administrations/ Central Agencies for development of tourism infrastructure and facilities in the country.

The projects under the above schemes are identified for development in consultation with the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations and are sanctioned subject to availability of funds, submission of suitable Detailed Project Reports, adherence to scheme guidelines and utilization of funds released earlier. Submission of project proposal by the State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations and its sanctioning is a continuous process. Based on the above criteria, the details of projects sanctioned, funds allocated and spent in Madhya Pradesh are as under:

(Rs. in crores)

Sl. No.	Circuit / Sanction Year	Project Name	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released
SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME				
1.	Wildlife	Development of Panna-Mukundpur-Sanjay-Dubri-	92.22	73.78

	2015-16	Bandhavgarh-Kanha-Mukki-Pench		
2.	Buddhist 2016-17	Development of Sanchi-Satna-Rewa-Mandsaur-Dhar	74.94	54.51
3.	Heritage 2016-17	Development of Gwalior – Orchha-Khajuraho-Chanderi-Bhimbetka-Mandu	92.97	57.06
4.	Eco 2017-18	Development of Gandhisagar Dam-Mandleshwar Dam-Omkareshwar Dam-Indira Sagar Dam-Tawa Dam-Bargi Dam-Bheda Ghat-Bansagar Dam-Ken River	99.62	73.56
Total			359.75	258.91
PRASHAD SCHEME				
5.	2017-18	Development of Omkareshwar	40.67	18.76

All the above projects are at various stages of implementation/completion.
