

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3341
ANSWERED ON 09.08.2021**

SETTING UP OF TOURISM HUBS

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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to set up tourism hubs in the country;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and**
- (c) the details of existing pilgrim tourism hubs in the country?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF TOURISM

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(a) to (c): Development and promotion of Tourism is primarily the responsibility of the State Government / Union Territory Administration. The Ministry of Tourism, under its 'Swadesh Darshan scheme' is developing thematic circuits in the country in planned and prioritized manner in order to develop tourism infrastructure at multiple destinations. The Ministry under its scheme 'National Mission on Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual, Heritage Augmentation Drive (PRASHAD)' provides financial assistance to State Governments/ Union Territory (UT) Administrations etc. with the objective of integrated development of identified pilgrimage and heritage destinations. Sanctioning of the projects is a continuous process and is subject to availability of funds, submission of suitable Detailed Project Reports, adherence to scheme guidelines and utilization of funds released earlier etc.

The details of projects sanctioned under 'Swadesh Darshan' and 'PRASHAD' scheme are annexed.

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3341 ANSWERED ON 09.08.2021 REGARDING SETTING UP OF TOURISM HUBS.

I. THE DETAILS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED UNDER SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME

(Rs. in crore)

Sl. No.	State/UT	Name of the Circuit & Year	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Coastal Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Long Island-Ross Smith Island-Neil Island- Havelock Island- Baratang Island-Port Blair.	27.57
2	Andhra Pradesh	Coastal Circuit (2014-15)	Development of Circuit at Kakinada - Hope Island - Coringa Wildlife Sanctuary - Passarlapudi - Aduru - S Yanam - Kotipallyanjuna	67.84
3	Andhra Pradesh	Coastal Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Nellore, Pulikat Lake, Ubblamadugu water falls, Nelapattu Bird Sanctuary, Mypadu Beach, Ramatheertham	49.55
4	Andhra Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Buddhist Circuit: Shalihundam-Thotlakonda- Bavikonda-Bojjanakonda- Amravati-Anupu in Andhra Pradesh	24.14
5	Arunachal Pradesh	North East Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Mega Circuit at Bhalukpong-Bomdila and Tawang	49.77
6	Arunachal Pradesh	North East Circuit (2015-16)	Integrated Development of Jirigaon, Nafra, Seppa, Pappu, Pasa, Pakke Valleys, Lumdung, Lafang Sohung Lake, Taro Yar, New Sagalee, Ziro, Yomcha	96.72
7	Assam	Wildlife Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Manas-Pobitora- Nameri-Kaziranga- Dibru-	94.68

			Saikhowa.	
8	Assam	Heritage Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Tezpur – Majuli – Sibsagar	90.98
9	Bihar	Tirthankar Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Vaishali-Arrah- Masad- Patna- Rajgir- Pawapuri- Champapuri.	37.19
10	Bihar	Spiritual Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Kanwaria Route: Sultanganj- Mojma- Banka.	44.76
11	Bihar	Buddhist Circuit (2016-17)	Construction of Convention Centre at Bodhgaya	98.73
12	Bihar	Rural Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Gandhi Circuit: Bhitiharwa- Chandrahia- Turkaulia	44.65
13	Bihar	Spiritual Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Mandar Hill & Ang Pradesh	47.52
14	Chhattisgarh	Tribal Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Jashpur-Kunkuri- Mainpat- Ambikapur- Maheshpur - Ratanpur- Kurdar- Sarodadadar- Gangrel- Kondagaon– NathiyaNawagaon- Jagdalpur- Chitrakoot- Tirthgarh.	96.1
15	Goa	Coastal Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Siquerim-Baga, Anjuna- Vagator, Morjim-Keri, Aguada Fort and Aguada Jail.	97.65
16	Goa	Coastal Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Rua De Orum Creek - Don Paula - Colva - Benaulim	99.35
17	Gujarat	Heritage Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Ahmedabad- Rajkot- Porbandar –Bardoli- Dandi.	59.17
18	Gujarat	Heritage Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Vadnagar and Modhera	91.84
19	Gujarat	Buddhist Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Junagadh- GirSomnath- Bharuch- Kutch- Bhavnagar- Rajkot-	28.67

			Mehsana	
20	Haryana	Krishna Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Tourism Infrastructures at Brahmsarovar, SanhitSarovar, Narkatari, Jyotisar in Kurukshetra.	97.35
21	Himachal Pradesh	Himalayan Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Himalayan Circuit in Kiarighat, Shimla, Hatkoti, Manali, Kangra, Dharamshala, Bir, Palampur, Chamba	80.69
22	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Jammu-Srinagar-Pehalgam-Bhagwati Nagar-Anantnag-Salamabad Uri-Kargil-Leh	77.33
23	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Jammu-Rajouri-Shopian-Pulwama	84.46
24	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities - Construction of Assets in lieu of those Destroyed in Floods in 2014 under PM Development Package	90.43
25	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Tourist facilities at Mantalai and Sudhmahadev	90.85
26	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Tourist facilities at Anantnag-Kishwar-Pahalgam-Daksum-Ranjit Sagar Dam	87.44
27	Jammu & Kashmir	Himalayan Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Tourist Facilities at Gulmarg-Baramulla- Kupwara- Kargil - Leh	91.84
28	Jharkhand	Eco Circuit (2018-19)	Development of Dalma-Chandil- Getalsud-BetlaNational park-Mirchaiya-Netarhat.	52.72
29	Kerala	Eco Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Pathanamthitta - Gavi-	76.55

			Vagamon- Thekkady	
30	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Sabarimala - Erumeli-Pampa-Sannidhanam.	99.99
31	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Sree Padmanabha Temple, Aranmula- Sabrimala	92.22
32	Kerala	Spiritual Circuit (2018-19)	Development Sivagiri Sree Narayana Guru Ashram-Arruvipuram- Kunnumpara Sree Subrahmania-Chembazhanti Sree Narayana Gurukulam	69.47
33	Kerala	Rural Circuit (2018-19)	Development of Malanad Malabar Cruise Tourism Project	80.37
34	Madhya Pradesh	Wildlife Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Circuit at Panna- Mukundpur- Sanjay-Dubri-Bandhavgarh- Kanha-Mukki- Pench.	92.22
35	Madhya Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Sanchi – Satna -Rewa-Mandsaur-Dhar.	74.02
36	Madhya Pradesh	Heritage circuit (2016-17)	Development of Gwalior – Orchha – Khajuraho – Chanderi – Bhimbetka – Mandu	89.82
37	Madhya Pradesh	Eco Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Gandhisagar Dam-Mandleshwar Dam-Omkareshwar Dam- Indira Sagar Dam- Tawa Dam-Bargi Dam- Bheda Ghat-Bansagar Dam- Ken River.	94.61
38	Maharashtra	Coastal Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Sindhudurg Coastal Circuit (Shiroda Beach, Sagareshwar, Tarkarli, Vijaydurg (Beach & Creek), Devgad (Fort & Beach), Mitbhav, Tondavali, Mocehmad and Nivati Fort).	19.06
39	Maharashtra	Spiritual Circuit (2018-19)	Development of Waki-Adasa- Dhapewada-Paradsingha- Chota Taj	54.01

			Bagh- Telankhandi- Girad	
40	Manipur	North-East Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Circuit at Imphal- Khongjom	72.23
41	Manipur	Spiritual Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Shri Govindajee Temple, Shri Bijoy Govindajee Temple – Shri Gopinath Temple – Shri Bungshibodon Temple – Shri Kaina Temple.	53.8
42	Meghalaya	North East Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Umium (Lake View), U LumSohpetbneng- Mawdiangdiang – Orchid Lake Resort.	99.13
43	Meghalaya	North East Circuit (2018-19)	Development of West Khasi Hills (Nongkhlaw- Krem Tirot – Khudoi & Kohmang Falls – Khri River- Mawthadraishan, Shillon), Jaintia Hills (Krang Suri Falls- Shyrmang- looksi), Garo Hills (Nokrek Reserve, Katta Beel, Siju Caves)	84.97
44	Mizoram	North East Circuit (2015-16)	Integrated Development of Thenzawl & South Zote, Districts Serchhip and Reiek	92.26
45	Mizoram	Eco Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Eco-Adventure Circuit at Aizawl -Rawpuichhip - Khawhphawp - Lengpui – Durtlang -Chatlang- Sakawrhmutuaitlang - Muthee – Beratlawng - Tuirial Airfield – Hmuifang	66.37
46	Nagaland	Tribal Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Circuit at Peren- Kohima- Wokha	97.36
47	Nagaland	Tribal Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Mokokchung–Tuensang- Mon	98.14
48	Odisha	Coastal Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Gopalpur, Barkul, Satapada and Tampara.	70.82

49	Puducherry	Coastal Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Dubrayapet, Arikamedu China Veerampattinam, Chunnabmar, Nallavadu, Manapet, Kalapet, French Quarter, Tamil Quarter and Yanam	85.28
50	Puducherry	Heritage Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Franco-Tamil Village, Karaikal, Mahe and Yanam	66.35
51	Puducherry	Spiritual Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Karaikal, Yanam and Puducherry	34.96
52	Punjab	Heritage Circuit (2018-19)	Development of Anandpur Sahib – Fatehgarh Sahib – Chamkaur Sahib – Ferozpur – Amritsar – Khatkar Kalan – Kalanour - Patiala	91.55
53	Rajasthan	Desert Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Shakambhari Mata Temple, Sambhar Salt Complex, DevyaniKund, SharmisthaSarovar, Naliasarand Other Destinations.	50.01
54	Rajasthan	Krishna Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Govind Dev ji temple (Jaipur), KhatuShyam Ji (Sikar) and Nathdwara (Rajsamand).	75.8
55	Rajasthan	Spiritual Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Churu (SalasarBalaji)- Jaipur (Shri SamodeBalaji, GhatkeBalaji, BandhekeBalaji)- Alwar (Pandupole Hanumanji, Bharathari)- Viratnagar (Bijak, Jainnasiya, Ambika Temple)- Bharatpur (Kaman Region)- Dholpur (Muchkund) – MehandipurBalaji- Chittorgarh (Sanwaliyaji)	93.9

56	Rajasthan	Heritage Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Rajsamand (Kumbhalgarh Fort)- Jaipur (Nahargarh Fort)- Alwar (BalaQuila)- SawaiMadhopur (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 PuraniChawni)- Nagaur(Meera Bai Smarak)	90.92
57	Sikkim	North-East Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Circuit linking Rangpo (entry) – Rorathang- Aritar- Phadamchen- Nathang- Sherathang- Tsongmo- Gangtok-Phodong- Mangan- Lachung-Yumthang- Lachen- Thangu- Gurudongmer- Mangan- tamil-TuminLingee- Singtam (exit).	98.05
58	Sikkim	North East Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Tourist Circuit Linking Lingmoo- Lingee– Maka- Temi- BermoikNamchi- Okharey - Sombaria-Daramdin- Melli (Exit)	95.32
59	Tamil Nadu	Coastal Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Chennai- Mamamallapuram – Rameshwaram – Kulasekaranpattinam – Kanyakumari	73.13
60	Telangana	Eco Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Circuit in Mahaboobnagar districts (Somasila, Singotam, Kadalaivanam,	91.62

			Akkamahadevi, Egalanpanta, Farahabad, Uma Maheshwaram, Mallelatheertham)	
61	Telangana	Tribal Circuit (2016-17)	Integrated Development of Mulugu-Laknavaram- Medavaram- Tadvai- Damaravi- Mallur- Bogatha Waterfalls.	79.87
62	Telangana	Heritage Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Heritage Circuit: Qutub Shahi Heritage Park- Paigah Tombs- Hayat Bakshi Mosque- Raymond's Tomb	96.9
63	Tripura	North East Circuit (2015-16)	Development of North East Circuit: Agartala - Sipahijala - Melaghar - Udaipur - Amarpur- Tirthamukh- Mandirghat- Dumboor- NarikelKunja- Gandachara- Ambassa	82.85
64	Tripura	North East Circuit (2018-19)	Development of Surma Cherra- Unakoti- Jampui Hills - Gunabati- Bhunaneshwari- Matabari- Neermahal- Boxanagar - Chottakhola- Pilak- Avangchaarra	65
65	Uttar Pradesh	Buddhist Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Sravasti, Kushinagar, & Kapilvastu.	99.97
66	Uttar Pradesh	Ramayana Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Chitrakoot and Shringverpur	69.45
67	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Shahjahanpur-Basti- Ahar- Aligharh-Kasgunj-Sarosi- Pratapgarh-Unnao- Kaushambi- Mirzapur- Gorakpur- Kairana- Doamriyagunj- Bagpat- Barabanki- Azamgarh	65.61

68	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual –II Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Bijnor- Meerut- Kanpur- Kanpur Dehat- Banda- Ghazipur- Salempur- Ghosi- Balia- Ambedkar Nagar- Aligarh- Fatehpur- Deoria- Mahoba- Sonbhadra- Chandauli- Mishrikh- Bhadohi	67.51
69	Uttar Pradesh	Heritage Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Kalinjar Fort (Banda)- MarharDham (SantKabir Nagar)- ChauriChaura, Shaheed Sthal (Fatehpur)- MavaharSthal (Ghosi)- Shaheed Smarak (Meerut)	33.17
70	Uttar Pradesh	Ramayana Circuit (2017-18)	Development of Ayodhya.	127.21
71	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit (2018-19)	Development of Jewar - Dadri - Sikandrabad-Noida- Khurja-Banda.	12.03
72	Uttar Pradesh	Spiritual Circuit (2018-19)	Development of Gorakhnath Temple(Gorakhpur), Devipattan Temple (Balrampur) and Vatvashni Temple(Domariyaganj)	15.76
73	Uttar Pradesh / Bihar	Development of Wayside Amenities (Sub-Scheme) (2018-19)	Development of Wayside Amenities in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar at Varanasi - Gaya; Lucknow-Ayodhya- Lucknow; Gorakhpur- Kushinagar; Kushinagar- Gaya- Kushinagar in collaboration with MoRTH	17.93
74	Uttarakhand	Eco Circuit (2015-16)	Development of Circuit at Tehri-Chamba- Sarain around Tehri Lake.	69.17
75	Uttarakhand	Heritage Circuit (2016-17)	Development of Kumaon Region – Katarmal – Jogeshwar-Baijnath- Devidhura.	76.32
76	West Bengal	Coastal Circuit	Development of Beach Circuit: Udaipur- Digha-	85.39

		(2015-16)	Shankarpur- Mandarmani- Bakkhlai-Henry Island	Tajpur- Fraserganj-	
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II. THE DETAILS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED UNDER PRASHAD SCHEME

(Rs. in crore)

S. No.	State/UT	Project Name	Year	Amount Sanctioned
1.	Andhra Pradesh	Development of Amaravati Town, Guntur District as a Tourist Destination	2015-16	27.77
2.	Andhra Pradesh	Development of Srisailam Temple	2017-18	47.45
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	Development of Parasuram Kund, Lohit Distt.	2020-21	37.88
4.	Assam	Development of Kamakhya Temple and Pilgrimage Destination in and around Guwahati	2015-16	29.99
5.	Bihar	Development of basic facilities at Vishnupad temple, Gaya, Bihar	2014-15	4.27
6.	Bihar	Development at Patna Sahib	2015-16	41.54
7.	Chhattisgarh	Development of Maa Bamleshwari Devi Temple, Rajnandgaon, Dongargarh, Chhattisgarh	2020-21	43.33
8.	Gujarat	Development of Dwarka	2016-17	13.08
9.	Gujarat	Pilgrimage Amenities at Somnath	2016-17	45.36
10.	Gujarat	Development of Promenade at Somnath under PRASHAD Scheme	2018-19	47.12
11.	Haryana	Development of Nada Saheb Gurudwara and Mata Mansha Devi Temple in Panchkula District	2019-20	49.52
12.	Jammu & Kashmir	Development at Hazratbal,	2016-17	40.46
13.	Jharkhand	Development of Baidyanathji Dham, Deoghar	2018-19	39.13
14.	Kerala	Development at Guruvayur	2016-17	46.14

		Temple		
15.	Madhya Pradesh	Development of Omkareshwar	2017-18	44.83
16.	Madhya Pradesh	Development of Amarkantak	2020-21	49.99
17.	Maharashtra	Development of Trimbakeshwar	2017-18	37.81
18.	Meghalaya	Development of Pilgrimage Facilitation in Meghalaya	2020-21	29.32
19.	Nagaland	Development of Pilgrimage Infrastructure in Nagaland	2018-19	25.26
20.	Odisha	Infrastructure Development at Puri, Shree Jagannath Dham – Ramachandi - Prachi River front at Deuli under Mega Circuit	2014-15	50.00
21.	Punjab	Development of KarunaSagar Valmiki Sthal at Amritsar	2015-16	6.40
22.	Rajasthan	Integrated Development of Pushkar/Ajmer	2015-16	32.64
23.	Sikkim	Development of Pilgrimage Facilitation at Four Patron Saints, Yuksom	2020-21	33.32
24.	Tamil Nadu	Development of Kanchipuram	2016-17	13.99
25.	Tamil Nadu	Development of Vellankani	2016-17	4.86
26.	Telangana	Development of Jogulamba Devi Temple, Alampur	2020-21	36.73
27.	Tripura	Development of Tripura Sundari Temple, Udaipur	2020-21	37.84
28.	Uttarakhand	Integrated Development of Kedarnath	2015-16	34.78
29.	Uttarakhand	Development of Infrastructure for Pilgrimage Facilitation in Badrinath Ji Dham (Uttarakhand)	2018-19	39.24
30.	Uttarakhand	Augmentation of Pilgrimage Infrastructure Facilities and Gangotri and Yamunotri Dham in Uttarakhand	2021-22	54.36
31.	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Mathura-Vrindavan as Mega Tourist Circuit (Ph-II)	2014-15	14.93
32.	Uttar Pradesh	Construction of Tourist Facilitation Centre at	2014-15	9.36

		Vrindavan, Distt. Mathura		
33.	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Varanasi – Phase –I	2015-16	20.40
34.	Uttar Pradesh	Cruse Tourism in River Ganga, Varanasi	2017-18	10.72
35.	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Varanasi Under Prashad Scheme – Phase II	2017-18	44.60
36.	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Infrastructure facilities at Govardhan, Mathura, UP	2018-19	39.74
37.	West Bengal	Development of Belur	2016-17	30.03
