

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1428#**  
ANSWERED ON 09.12.2021

**SETTING UP OF PILGRIMAGE TOURISM CENTRES IN THE COUNTRY**

1428#. SMT. KANTA KARDAM:

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

- (a) whether Government proposes to set up pilgrimage tourism centres in the country, particularly in Uttar Pradesh, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the details of pilgrimage tourism centres in Uttar Pradesh at present?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) & (b): Sir, setting up of pilgrimage tourism centres in any part of the country does not come under work allocation of the Ministry of Tourism. Thus, the Ministry does not maintain such list/details. However, Ministry of Tourism under its PRASHAD Scheme provides Central Financial Assistance for development of pilgrimage/heritage tourism infrastructure at the pre-identified destinations on the basis of the requests/proposals received from the respective State Governments/UT Administrations.

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