

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**STARRED QUESTION NO. 21**  
ANSWERED ON 03.02.2022

**AQUA TOURISM IN ANDHRA PRADESH**

**21.** Shri Venkataramana Rao Mopidevi:

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

- (a) whether Government has taken any measures to introduce Aqua-tourism in the State of Andhra Pradesh; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) & (b): A statement is laid on the table of the House.

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**STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 21 ANSWERED ON 03.02.2022 REGARDING AQUA TOURISM IN ANDHRA PRADESH**

(a) & (b): Promotion and Development of tourism, including Aqua-tourism, is the primary responsibility of the State Governments/UT Administrations. Ministry of Tourism has sanctioned the following projects under the Coastal Circuit theme of Swadesh Darshan Scheme in Andhra Pradesh:-

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Project</b>	<b>Amount Sanctioned (Rupees in crores)</b>
1	Development of Coastal Circuit in Kakinada - Hope Island - Coringa Wildlife Sanctuary - Passarlapudi - Aduru - S Yanam - Kotipally (2014-15)	67.84
2	Development of Coastal Circuit in SPS Nellore- Pulikat Lake - Ubbllamadugu Water Falls - Nelapattu - Kothakoduru- Mypadu - Ramateertham - Iskapalli (2015-16)	49.55

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