

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM

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DEVELOPMENT OF KONARK TEMPLE AS ICONIC TOURIST SITE

306. DR. SASMIT PATRA:

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

- (a) the details of the progress undertaken in the development of the Konark Temple in Odisha as an iconic tourist site in India;
- (b) the total amount of expenditure incurred towards the development of the Konark Temple; and
- (c) the total expenditure expected to be incurred in this regard by Government?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Tourism has formulated 'Development of Iconic Tourist Destinations' scheme for development of Iconic Destinations including Konark. The scheme is not approved.
