### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TOURISM

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.939

ANSWERED ON 09.02.2023

#### SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME IN TAMIL NADU

#### 939 SHRI P. WILSON:

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

- (a) the data on the Central Financial Assistance allotted throughout the country, specially in the State of Tamil Nadu, through the Swadesh Darshan Scheme;
- (b) whether the Ministry has data on the employment that has been generated through the Swadesh Darshan Scheme in the country, especially in Tamil Nadu; and
- (c) if so, details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

#### **ANSWER**

#### THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

- (a): The data of the Central Financial Assistance provided in various States/Union Territories including Tamil Nadu for development under Swadesh Darshan scheme is annexed.
- (b) & (c): The Ministry of Tourism has not undertaken any study to measure the employment generated through the Swadesh Darshan scheme in the country including Tamil Nadu however a third party assessment of Swadesh Darshan scheme was undertake by National Productivity Council (NPC) in July, 2019; which states that 'Swadesh Darshan Scheme' has been able to give a fillip to livelihood opportunities and create employment for the local communities in construction phase.

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## **ANNEXURE**

**STATEMENT** IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.939 ANSWERED ON 09.02.2023 REGARDING SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME IN TAMIL NADU.

# STATE WISE DETAILS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED UNDER SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME

(Rs. in crore)

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S. No	State/UTs	No. of Projects	Amt. Sanctioned
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3	141.53
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	2	146.49
3.	Assam	2	185.66
4.	Bihar	5	262.73
5.	Chhattisgarh	1	96.10
6.	Goa	2	197.00
7.	Gujarat	3	176.22
8.	Haryana	1	70.91
9.	Himachal Pradesh	1	68.34
10.	Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh	6	519.59
11.	Jharkhand	1	30.11
12.	Kerala	5	343.84
13.	Madhya Pradesh	4	349.70
14.	Maharashtra	2	73.02
15.	Manipur	2	117.57
16.	Meghalaya	2	184.10
17.	Mizoram	2	158.63
18.	Nagaland	2	195.50
19.	Odisha	1	70.82
20.	Punjab	1	94.51
21.	Rajasthan	4	283.47
22.	Sikkim	2	193.37
23.	Tamil Nadu	1	73.13
24.	Telangana	3	268.39
25.	Tripura	2	127.68
26.	Uttar Pradesh	8	488.22
27.	Uttarakhand	2	145.49
28.	West Bengal	1	67.99
29.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1	27.57
30.	Puducherry	3	142.84
31.	Wayside Amenities Uttar Pradesh and Bihar	1	15.07

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