

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.940#
ANSWERED ON 27.07.2023

SCHEMES OF MINISTRY IN UTTARAKHAND

940# DR. KALPANA SAINI:

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

- (a) the details of various schemes related to the Ministry in the State of Uttarakhand;
- (b) the total amount allocated for the said schemes during the current financial year; and
- (c) the total number of tourists that have benefitted on account of the same during the previous year, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Tourism under the Schemes of ‘Swadesh Darshan’ and ‘National Mission on Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual Heritage Augmentation Drive (PRASHAD)’ provides financial assistance to State Governments/Union Territory Administrations for the development of tourism related infrastructure and facilities at various tourism destinations in the country including Uttarakhand.

Further, financial assistance has also been provided to the State Governments/Union Territories including Uttarakhand for organizing fairs/festivals & tourism related events under Domestic Promotion & Publicity including Hospitality (DPPH) Scheme.

The details of projects sanctioned and funds allocated under the above-mentioned Schemes in the State of Uttarakhand is given at Annexure.

The data of Domestic Tourist Visits (DTV) & Foreign Tourist Visits (FTV) during 2020 to 2022 in Uttarakhand is given below:

Year	DTV	FTV
2020	7005264	41339
2021	19434475	8532
2022	54642559	61561

Source: State Tourism Department

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.940# ANSWERED ON 27.07.2023 REGARDING SCHEMES OF MINISTRY IN UTTARAKHAND.

Swadesh Darshan Scheme (Rs. in Crore)

Sl. No.	State	Circuit / Sanction Year	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned
1.	Uttarakhand	Eco Circuit 2015-16	Development of Tehri-Chamba- Sarain around Tehri Lake	69.17
2.	Uttarakhand	Heritage Circuit 2016-17	Development of Kumaon Region - Katarmal - Jogeshwar - Baijnath - Devidhura	76.32

PRASHAD Scheme (Rs. in Crore)

State	Sl. No.	Project Name	Sanction Year	Approved Cost
Uttarakhand	1.	Integrated Development of Kedarnath	2015-16	34.77
	2.	Development of Infrastructure for Pilgrimage Facilitation in Badrinath Ji Dham	2018-19	56.15
	3.	Augmentation of Pilgrimage Infrastructure Facilities and Gangotri and Yamunotri Dham	2021-22	54.36

Financial assistance provided for organizing fairs/festivals & tourism related events under Domestic Promotion & Publicity including Hospitality (DPPH) Scheme**(Rs. in Lakh)**

Name of State	Year	Name of Fairs & Festivals	Amount Sanctioned
Uttarakhand	2017-18	Yoga Festival	25.00
	2018-19	Tehri Festival & International Yoga Festival	50.00
	2019-20	International Yoga Festival & Tehri Festival	50.00
	2021-22	International Yoga Festival & Tehri Festival	50.00
	2022-23	International Yoga Festival	25.00
