

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1024  
ANSWERED ON 02.12.2024**

**TRIBAL HOME STAY SCHEME UNDER SDS 2.0**

**1024.SHRI RAJA RAM SINGH:**

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

- (a) whether any consultation has been done with the Ministry of Tribal Affairs regarding the Swadesh Darshan Scheme 2.0 (SDS 2.0) scheme, if so, the details of remarks and recommendations of the said Ministry concerning the safety, security and privacy of tribal areas regarding the Tribal Home-Stay scheme under SDS 2.0;**
- (b) whether any consultation has been done with the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change with regards to protection and preservation of the eco-sensitive zones, if so, the details of the remarks and recommendations of the said Ministry concerning the protection of eco-sensitive zones; and**
- (c) whether the State Governments with high tribal population have been consulted regarding the revamped scheme, if so, the details of the views of State Governments?**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF TOURISM (SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)**

**(a) to (c): Government has approved the initiative to develop tribal home-stays under Swadesh Darshan scheme of the Ministry of Tourism as part of 'Pradhan Mantri Janjatiya Unnat Gram Abhiyan'. The said intervention includes development of 1000 home-stays with support of upto ₹5 Lakh per unit (for new construction), upto ₹3 Lakh (renovation) and ₹5 Lakh for village community requirement. Necessary steps are being taken for implementation of the initiative.**

**The implementation of the schemes is done as per the extant Guidelines, Rules and Regulations issued by Government of India from time to time, including consultations with Central Ministries and State Governments.**

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