GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TOURISM

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3185 ANSWERED ON 27.03.2025

SETTING UP OF TRAVELER NOOKS IN HAMPI

3185 SHRI NARAYANA KORAGAPPA:

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

- (a) whether setting up of Traveler nooks in Hampi was sanctioned under Swadesh Darshan scheme 2.0 in 2023-24;
- (b) if so, the details of sanctioned cost of the project; and
- (c) the anticipated date of completion of the project?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

(a) to (c): Yes, the Ministry of Tourism has sanctioned Rs.25.64 Crore for 'Setting up of 'Traveller nooks' project at Hampi in the State of Karnataka under Swadesh Darshan 2.0 Scheme. The interventions sanctioned under the project include components related to Noble Nook, Royal Nook, Imperial Nook and Information Technology etc.

The approved experience shall be developed, operated and managed as a single project and the State Implementing Agency shall award the same to 'Tourism Experience Development & Management Agency' (TEDMA). The experience is expected to be developed within one year of award of work to TEDMA.
