

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1313  
ANSWERED ON 28.07.2025**

**SAFETY FRAMEWORK OF ADVENTURE TOURISM**

**1313. SHRI TANGELLA UDAY SRINIVAS:  
SHRI APPALANAIDU KALISETTI:**

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

- (a) the details of the number of accidents, injuries or deaths reported in the adventure tourism sector during the last five years, activity and State/UT-wise;**
- (b) whether any safety audits or investigations were conducted in these cases and the findings and corrective actions taken and if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether the Government has circulated a Model Law on Adventure Tourism and if so, the details thereof along with the status of its adoption and implementation, States/UTs-wise;**
- (d) whether the mandatory registration and insurance coverage by adventure tourism operators is being enforced, and if so, the details thereof;**
- (e) whether the guidelines exist for mandatory training, certification, and licensing of adventure tourism guides and operators to ensure safety standards and if so, the details thereof; and**
- (f) whether India's adventure tourism safety framework is aligned with global best practices and if so, the details thereof along with proposed improvements?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) to (f): Ministry of Tourism does not maintain data on accidents caused while participating in adventure tourism.**

**The development and promotion of tourism, including adventure tourism, enhancing safety and convenience at adventure tourism sites is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations.**

**The Ministry of Tourism, in association with the Adventure Tour Operators Association of India has formulated Model Adventure Safety Guidelines with an aim to establish a comprehensive and standardized framework to ensure safety in the Adventure Tourism sector across India. These guidelines have been circulated to all States and Union Territories for adoption and formulation/updation of safety protocols.**

**All the States/Union Territories have been requested to maintain a strict watch on all adventure related activities and ensure strict adherence to safety regulations and licensing norms by all the operators.**

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