GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TOURISM

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2223#

ANSWERED ON 07.08.2025

IMPLEMENTATION OF BHARAT RANNBHOOMI DARSHAN

2223# SHRI AMAR PAL MAURYA:

SHRI ADITYA PRASAD:

SHRI MITHLESH KUMAR:

SHRI MAYANKKUMAR NAYAK:

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

- (a) the details of of 'Paryatan Mitra' and 'Paryatan Didi' initiatives launched at national level in the year 2024; and
- (b) the increase in the number of visitors, security mechanism and local participation due to the implementation of 'Bharat Rannbhoomi Darshan' initiative?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

(a): Ministry of Tourism launched a National responsible tourism initiative by the name of Paryatan Mitra/Paryatan Didi. The initiative was piloted in 6 tourist destinations across India namely – Orchha (Madhya Pradesh), Gandikota (Andhra Pradesh), Bodh Gaya (Bihar), Aizawl (Mizoram), Jodhpur (Rajasthan) and Shri Vijaya Puram (Andaman & Nicobar Islands).

In the pilot phase, more than 4,000 people have been trained. The programme has now been extended all across the country.

(b): Bharat Rannbhoomi Darshan is an initiative of Ministry of Defence. As per the information available on the Bharat Rannbhoomi Darshan Portal developed by Ministry of Defence, Government of India, no such specific data has been compiled.
