GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.168
ANSWERED ON 08/12/2022

PROGRAMMES UNDER AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV

168.   SHRI SANJAY SINGH:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:-

(a)   the details of the programmes organized by the Ministry of Culture and other Ministries under the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav;

(b)   the programme-wise details of the amount spent on the said programme;

(c)   the details of private and Government agencies working towards management of the programmes being organized under the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav; and

(d)   the details of the programmes proposed under the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav and estimated expenditure thereon.

ANSWER

MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT OF
NORTH EASTERN REGION
(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a)   & (b) Ministry of Culture in collaboration with other Ministries has organized 20,839 programmes under Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations all over India. The expenditure towards these programmes are met by the concerned Ministries/Departments from their respective budget heads under various schemes.

(c) Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav includes participation from all Ministries, Departments, States/UTs, Non-Government Organizations, civic bodies, private institutions and individuals, details of which are available on the website amritmahotsav.nic.in. Over a period of time, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav has acquired a 'Whole of Society' dimension, wherein people from all sectors are participating resulting in high jan bhagidari.

(d)   The celebrations under AKAM will be ongoing till 15th August 2023. AKAM has identified nine themes namely, Women and Children, Inclusive Development, Health & Wellness, Tribal Empowerment, Atmanirbhar Bharat, Cultural Pride, Unity, Water, Lifestyle for the Environment (LiFE), under which future campaigns will be organized in the next phase of AKAM in association with related Ministries and Departments. The expenditure towards organizing programmes/events will be met by the Ministries/Deptts from their respective budget heads under various schemes.

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