

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE

RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO.4
ANSWERED ON 02.02.2023

Correction in Name of Agrasen Ki Baoli

***4. Dr. Radha Mohan Das Agrawal:**

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that 'Agrasen ki Baoli' is situated on Hailey Road, near Jantar Mantar, Delhi;
- (b) whether it is also a fact that the above site is protected by the Archaeological Survey of India and on the sign board placed outside the step-well, it is written as "Ugrasen ki Baoli" instead of "Agrasen ki Baoli"; and
- (c) if so, whether according to Government this Baoli was built by Agrasen ji or Ugrasen ji?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) to (c) in respect of Rajya Sabha Starred Question No. 4 for reply on 02.02.2023 Regarding Correction in Name of Agrasen Ki Baoli asked by Dr. Radha Mohan Das Agrawal.

- (a)&(b) Vide notification No. 9058-Education dated 11/12/1913, ancient monument “Uggar Sain’s Baoli” located near the Jantar Mantar observatory, New Delhi was declared as protected monument. Accordingly, the name of the Baoli in notice board is written as Ugrasen ki Baoli.
- (c) As above.
