GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CULTURE **RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1138** ANSWERED ON 05.12.2024

MISSING, DESTROYED, AND DELISTED ARCHEOLOGICAL SITES IN INDIA

1138 SHRI SAKET GOKHALE

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the list of archeological sites which have been identified as being 'missing' or 'destroyed' by the Archeological Survey of India (ASI) between the period January 2020 to October 2024 and the reasons thereof; and
- (b) the sites from the list of Centrally Protected Monuments that have been de-listed as such between the period January 2020 to October 2024 and the reasons thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE AND TOURISM

(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

- (a) No archeological sites has been 'missing' or 'destroyed' between the period January 2020 to October 2024.
- (b) No site has been de-listed between the period January 2020 to October 2024.
