

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE**

RAJYA SABHA

**STARRED QUESTION NO. *293
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.03.2025**

YUGA YUGREEN BHARAT NATIONAL MUSEUM

***293. SHRI SAKET GOKHALE :**

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the specific role and responsibilities of the French partner France Museums Developpement (FMD) in the proposed Yuga Yugeen Bharat National Museum (YYBNM) and the aspects of the new museum being handled by FMD;
- (b) the details of persons or entities that will be responsible for making curatorial decisions about objects and artifacts at the YYBNM; and
- (c) Government's future plans for the existing National Museum building and the manner in which it is proposed to be used after the opening of YYBNM ?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF CULTURE AND TOURISM
(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)**

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

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (A) TO (C) OF THE RAJYA
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(a) to (c) : An agreement for technical cooperation, signed on December 19, 2024, between the National Museum and France Museums Développement (FMD), tasks FMD with a feasibility study for the YugeYugeen Bharat National Museum. The study will cover museum case studies, strategic vision & interpretative planning, and building programming for adaptive reuse of the building. At this juncture, there is no proposal regarding existing National Museum building.
