

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5796
ANSWERED ON 10.04.2017**

IMPACT OF BAN ON LIQUOR ON TOURISM INDUSTRY

5796. PROF. SAUGATA ROY:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that the ban on liquor in some parts of the country has affected the tourism industry in any way;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to remove the ban on liquor in tourism centres;**
- (d) whether the Government has taken any action to ensure standard liquors in all tourism centres; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)**

(a) & (b): The Ministry of Tourism does not compile information with regard the effect of ban on liquor in some parts of the country on the tourism industry.

(c): No, Madam. The subject is within the purview of the State list of the 7th Schedule of the Constitution of India.

(d) & (e): Does not arise.
