

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2318  
TO BE ANSWERED ON JANUARY 02, 2018  
HRIDAY

No. 2318 SHRI M. MURALIMOHAN:

Will the Minister of HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS be please to state:

- a) whether the Government has launched Heritage City Development and Augmentation Yojana (HRIDAY) in the year 2015 for overall development of heritage cities across the country;
- b) if so the details of cities that have been selected/listed under this scheme;
- c) whether the Government is considering Rajahmundry for selection/inclusion under HRIDAY; and
- d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT/CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF  
HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS  
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a) & (b) Yes Madam. 12 cities of Amritsar, Ajmer, Amaravati, Badami, Dwarka, Gaya, Kancheepuram, Mathura, Puri, Varanasi, Velankanni and Warangal are selected under the scheme.

(c) & (d) No Madam; Government has decided to discontinue the HRIDAY scheme after it ends in November, 2018.

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