

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†340  
ANSWERED ON 05.02.2018**

**DECLARATION OF WATERFALL SITES IN JHARKHAND AS TOURIST  
SPOTS**

**†340. SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY:**

**Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to declare waterfall sites in Jharkhand such as Hundru falls, Gautamdihara and Hirni falls as tourist spots;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)  
(SHRI K.J. ALPHONS)**

**(a): The development, promotion, and identification of new tourism destinations is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments/Union Territory (UT) Administrations. However, Ministry of Tourism provides Central Financial Assistance (CFA) to State Governments/UT Administrations for various tourism projects subject to submission of Detailed Project Reports (DPRs), availability of funds, liquidation of pending utilization certificates against the funds released earlier and adherence to the relevant scheme guidelines.**

**(b): Does not arise.**

**(c): Does not arise.**

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