

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†3700  
ANSWERED ON 19.03.2018**

**MODERNISATION OF YATRI NIWAS**

**†3700. SHRI HARISH CHANDRA ALIAS HARISH DWIVEDI:**

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

- (a) the number of Government owned hotels/Yatri Niwas in the country, location-wise and State/UT-wise including Uttar Pradesh;**
- (b) whether the standard of hotels/Yatri Niwas run under the Indian Tourism development corporation of the Government of India are in accordance with the international standards;**
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (d) whether the Government has formulated/proposes to formulate any scheme for the modernization of the hotels/Yatri Niwas and if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a): At present, India Tourism Development Corporation Ltd. (ITDC) is running the following hotels:-**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of Hotel</b>	<b>State / UT</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>The Ashok Hotel</b>	<b>New Delhi</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Samrat Hotel</b>	<b>New Delhi</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Hotel Jammu Ashok</b>	<b>Jammu, Jammu &amp; Kashmir</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Hotel Patliputra Ashok</b>	<b>Patna , Bihar</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Hotel Kalinga Ashok</b>	<b>Bhubaneswar, Orissa</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>Lalitha Mahal Palace Hotel</b>	<b>Mysore, Karnataka</b>

**Joint Venture Hotels of ITDC are as follows:**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of Hotel</b>	<b>State / UT</b>	<b>Joint Venture Ratio</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>Hotel Ranchi Ashok</b>	<b>Ranchi, Jharkhand</b>	<b>ITDC:BSTDC (51:49)</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Hotel Donyi Polo Ashok</b>	<b>Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh</b>	<b>ITDC: State Govt.(51:49)</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Hotel Pondicherry Ashok</b>	<b>Puducherry</b>	<b>ITDC: State Govt.(51:49)</b>

**(b) to (d): Hotels of ITDC maintain good standards for hosting International guests from across the world. The hotels provide hospitable, hygienic and the best services in accordance with industry norms. Further, the Ashok Hotel and Samrat Hotel in New Delhi, are ISO 22000:2005 certified.**

**Upgrading services and facilities and renovation of the hotels is an ongoing process undertaken by ITDC to maintain the required standards.**

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