GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CULTURE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2000 TO BE ANSWERED ON 30TH JULY, 2018

IDENTIFICATION OF CULTURAL SENSITIVE ZONES

2000. SHRI HARI OM PANDAY: SHRI MANOJ TIWARI:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to identify cultural sensitive Zones in the country for famous cultural hubs in near future;
- (b) if so, the detailed list thereof, State-wise including Uttar Pradesh and Delhi/ NCR;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) whether any guidelines have been issued so far in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (I/C) FOR CULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE

(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

- (a) No, Madam.
- (b) Does not arise.

(c) & (d) The Government of India has set up seven Zonal Cultural Centres (ZCCs) with headquarters at Patiala, Nagpur, Udaipur, Allahabad, Kolkata, Dimapur and Thanjavur to protect, preserve & promote various forms of folk art and culture throughout the country including Uttar Pradesh and Delhi/ NCR.