GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TOURISM

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2024 ANSWERED ON 30.07.2018

DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM SPOTS IN TELANGANA

2024. SHRI GUTHA SUKENDER REDDY:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has initiated/planning to develop the Tourism spots in the State of Telangana;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of the places identified for the purpose;
- (d) whether any DPRs have been sought from the State Government to this effect; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): The Ministry under the Swadesh Darshan Scheme-Integrated development of theme based tourist circuits provides central financial assistance to State Governments/UT Administrations/Central Agencies for development of tourism infrastructure in the country. The details of projects sanctioned in Telangana under the above scheme is as follows: -

(Rs. in crore)

| SI. | Scheme/ | Name of the Project | Amt. |
|-----|-------------------------------|---|------------|
| No. | Year | | Sanctioned |
| 1 | Swadesh Darshan 2015-16 | Integrated Development of Eco Tourism Circuit in Mahaboobnagar district, Telangana. | 91.62 |
| 2 | Swadesh Darshan | Integrated Development of Mulugu- Laknavaram- Medavaram- Tadvai- | 84.40 |

| | 2016-17 | Damaravi- Mallur- Bogatha Waterfalls as Tribal Circuit in Telangana. | |
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| 3 | Swadesh Darshan 2017-18 | Darshan Qutub Shahi Heritage Park- Paigah | 99.42 |
| Total | | | 275.44 |

(d) and (e): Submission of project proposals by the State Governments/UT Administrations under the Swadesh Darshan Scheme is a continuous process. The projects for development are identified in consultation with the State Governments/UT Administrations and are sanctioned subject to availability of funds, submission of suitable detailed project reports, adherence to scheme guidelines and utilization of funds released earlier.
