

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED: QUESTION NO. 1854
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.03.2023

SETTING UP OF BHARAT SHARED REPOSITORY OF INSCRIPTIONS

1854. DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR:
SHRI RAJVEER SINGH (RAJU BHAIYA):
SHRI VINOD KUMAR SONKAR:

Will the MINISTER OF CULTURE संस्कृति मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has proposed to set up a 'Bharat Shared Repository of Inscriptions' in a digital epigraphy museum, with digitization of one lakh ancient inscriptions in the first stage;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the other steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURISM
AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION
(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) Union Government has proposed to set up a 'Bharat Shared Repository of Inscriptions (BharatSHRI); a digital epigraphy museum, to digitize the invaluable epigraphical wealth of India and make them accessible for viewing and learning through a common platform.
- (c) ASI has segregated, classified and mended the damaged/fragile estampages for the purpose.
