GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CULTURE

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5276

TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.04.2023

MONUMENTS DECLARED AS MONUMENTS OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE IN BIHAR

†5276. SHRIMATI VEENA DEVI:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of monuments and sites declared as monuments of national importance in Bihar by the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI), district-wise;
- (b) the details of the amount spent on the said monuments or sites during the last five years;
- (c) the details of revenue earned by the Government from the said monuments during the last three years, year-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to declare any monument in Bihar and Vaishali district as a monument of national importance; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) There are 70 monuments and sites declared as of national importance in the State of Bihar. District-wise number is given at **Annexure**.
- (b) Details of the amount spent on conservation and maintenance of these monuments and sites during the last five years are given as under:

(Amount in Crore)

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Year	Expenditure	
2018-19	1.76	
2019-20	1.45	
2020-21	1.23	
2021-22	3.35	
2022-23	7.21 (Up to 1 st March)	

(c) The revenue collected from entry fee at five centrally protected ticketed monuments in Bihar during the last three years is given as under:

(amount in Crore)

Year	Revenue
2020-21	0.87
2021-22	1.50
2022-23	3.38 (up
	to 28 th february-2023)

(d) No such proposal is under consideration at present.

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ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5276 FOR 03.04.2023

DISTRICT-WISE LIST OF MONUMENTS AND SITES DECLARED AS OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE IN BIHAR

SL. NO.	DISTRICT	NUMBER OF MONUMENT AND
1		SITES
1.	Aurangabad	01
2.	Bhagalpur	04
3.	Buxar	01
4.	East Champaran	03
5.	Gaya	11
6.	Jehanabad	09
7.	Kaimur	02
8.	Kishanganj	01
9.	Madhubani	01
10.	Muzaffarpur	01
11.	Nalanda	08
12.	Patna	11
13.	Rohtas	05
14.	Saran	01
15.	Siwan	01
16.	Vaishali	03
17.	West Champaran	07
