

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 496
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24TH JULY, 2023

NEHRU MEMORIAL MUSEUM AND LIBRARY

496. SHRI MANICKAM TAGORE B. :

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state :

- (a) whether it is a fact that a meeting of the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library was held on 15.6.2023;
- (b) if so, the deliberations made in the said meeting;
- (c) whether it is true that for over 59 years Nehru Memorial Museum and Library have been global intellectual landmark and treasure house of books and archives; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) : Yes, Sir. The proposal regarding changes in the Memorandum of Association and Rules & Regulations of the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library Society was passed in the said meeting.

(c) & (d) : Yes, Sir. The Nehru Memorial Museum and Library maintains a Library of international standard, housing approximately 3.06 lakh books, more than a hundred journals and news magazines. The NMML Archive is a reservoir of over 1200 collections of institutional records and personal papers acquired from all over the world of eminent national leaders, freedom fighters, politicians, educationists, environmentalists, scientists, jurists and industrialists and all those who contributed to the making of modern India. The Archives is used by scholars and academics from all over the world extensively for primary research work. The NMML's Oral History Division (OHD) is also a repository of more than 950 transcripts of the Oral History interviews relating to the social and political development of modern India with special reference to India's freedom struggle.
