

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CULTURE  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.12**  
ANSWERED ON 04.12.2023

**SETTING UP OF GIFT SHOPS BY ASI**

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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) is planning to set up gift shops at its monuments;
- (b) if so, the proposed salient features of these shops and the kind of gifts going to be placed in such shops;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to include One District One Product (ODOP) items as well in these shops; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

- (a) Expression of Interest to identify potential applicant/agency, interested to run the to shops has been published. The shops would sell selected items such as replicas of
- (d) monuments/antiquities and similar merchandise.

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