

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1347
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.11.2019

PRESERVATION OF CULTURAL HERITAGE RELATED TO SHIVAJI RAJE

1347: SHRI UNMESH BHAIYYASAHEB PATIL

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken measures to preserve and uphold all forms of Forts of Shivaji Raje, folk art and cultural heritage of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the efforts being made to properly store the treasure of knowledge for posterity;
- (d) whether the Government has taken adequate steps to preserve the cultural heritage of Forts made by King Shivaji; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR CULTURE AND TOURISM
(PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

- (a) Conservation work of protected Forts in the country including those related to Shivaji Raje is attended regularly by the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) as per the requirements of different sites and availability of resources. Conservation work is a continuous process and regular action by ASI ensures proper preservation of protected art forms for posterity. Due to regular repair & maintenance work the protected monuments including forts are in a good state of preservation.