

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.72
ANSWERED ON 18.11.2019**

FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR TOURISM PROJECTS IN BIHAR

72. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the projects prioritized for the development of tourism in the country including Bihar and funds provided thereunder during 2019-20, State/UT-wise;**
- (b) the details of utilisation of funds reported out of the sanctioned funds under the projects prioritized for development of tourism during each of the last three years along with the status thereof, State/UT-wise;**
- (c) whether the Government provides any special package to the States/UTs for the development of tourism and if so, the details thereof indicating the package provided during the said period, State/ UT-wise;**
- (d) the monitoring mechanism put in place by the Government to review the progress of such projects; and**
- (e) the further measures being taken by the Government to promote tourism in the country specially in Bihar?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR TOURISM (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)**

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Tourism does not provide any special package to any State/Union Territory (UT) Administration for development of Tourism. However, it provides Central Financial Assistance to the State Governments/UT Administrations for development of tourism infrastructure in the country under the schemes of PRASHAD (Pilgrimage Rejuvenation and Spiritual,

Heritage Augmentation Drive), Swadesh Darshan and Assistance to Central Agencies.

The details of projects sanctioned/expenditure incurred on the projects sanctioned in the country during last three years and 2019-20 including Bihar are at annexure.

(d): Review/Monitoring of sanctioned projects under 'Swadesh Darshan' and 'PRASHAD' schemes is a continuous process. States/UTs are required to submit reports of the State Level Monitoring Committees to the Ministry of Tourism periodically. The Ministry of Tourism also monitors the implementation of projects through Regional offices, field inspections by the officers of the Ministry and periodical review meetings with the State/UT officers. The Ministry has also developed an on line monitoring portal to monitor the real time physical and financial progress of the projects.

(e): The Ministry of Tourism promotes India as a holistic destination under the Incredible India brand-line. The Ministry of Tourism, as part of its on-going activities, releases print, electronic, online and outdoor media campaigns in the international and domestic markets to promote various tourism destinations and products of the country including that in Bihar. Promotions are also undertaken through the Social Media accounts and website of the Ministry.

ANNEXURE**STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 72 ANSWERED ON 18.11.2019 REGARDING FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR TOURISM PROJECTS IN BIHAR****STATE-WISE DETAILS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED UNDER VARIOUS SCHEMES OF MINISTRY OF TOURISM****I. SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME****(Rs. in crore)**

Sl. No.	State/UT/ Circuit	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned	Amount released
Year 2016-17				
1.	Goa Coastal Circuit	Development of Sinquerim-Baga, Anjuna-Vagator, Morjim-Keri, Aguada Fort and Aguada Jail	99.99	79.99
2.	Jammu & Kashmir Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourism Infrastructure Projects in the State of Jammu and Kashmir.	82.97	60.47
3.	Telangana Tribal Circuit	Integrated Development of Mulugu-Laknavaram-Medavaram- Tadvai- Damaravi-Mallur- Bogatha Waterfalls	83.88	67.10
4.	Meghalaya North East Circuit	Development of Umium (Lake View), U LumSohpetbneng-Mawdiangdiang – Orchid Lake Resort	99.13	79.31
5.	Madhya Pradesh Buddhist Circuit	Development of Sanchi-Satna-Rewa-Mandsaur-Dhar	74.94	59.95
6.	Kerala Spiritual Circuit	Development of Sabarimala - Erumeli-Pampa-Sannidhanam.	99.99	20.00
7.	Manipur Spiritual Circuit	Development of Shri Govindajee Temple, Shri BijoyGovindajee Temple – Shri Gopinath Temple – Shri Bungshibodon Temple – Shri Kaina Temple	53.80	43.04
8.	Gujarat Heritage	Development of Ahmedabad-Rajkot- Porbandar –Bardoli-	85.01	62.63

	Circuit	Dandi		
9.	Haryana Krishna Circuit	Development of Tourism Infrastructures at places related to Mahabharata in Kurukshetra	97.35	77.88
10.	Rajasthan Krishna Circuit	Integrated Development of Govind Dev ji temple (Jaipur), KhatuShyam Ji (Sikar) and Nathdwara (Rajsamand)	91.45	45.72
11.	Sikkim North East Circuit	Development of Tourist Circuit Linking Singtam- Maka- Temi- BermoikTokel- Phongia- Namchi –Jorthang- Okharey- Sombaria-Daramdin- Jorethang- Melli (Exit)	95.32	76.25
12.	Madhya Pradesh Heritage circuit	Development of Gwalior – Orchha – Khajuraho – Chanderi – Bhimbetka – Mandu)	92.97	74.38
13.	Kerala Spiritual Circuit	Development of SreePadmanabhaArnamula- Sabrimala	92.22	72.42
14.	Bihar Tirthankar circuit	Development of Vaishali- Arrah- Masad- Patna- Rajgir- Pawapuri- Champapuri	52.39	26.19
15.	Bihar Spiritual circuit	Integrated Development of Kanwaria Route: Sultanganj – Dharmshala- Deoghar	52.35	39.76
16.	Odisha Coastal circuit	Development of Gopalpur, Barkul, Satapada and Tampara	70.82	37.61
17.	Nagaland Tribal circuit	Development of Mokokchung– Tuensang-Mon	99.67	78.09
18.	Uttarakhand Heritage circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit in Kumaon Region – Katarmal –Jogeshwar-Baijnath- Devidhura	79.13	63.30
19.	Jammu & Kashmir Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Jammu- Rajouri-Shopian-Pulwama	96.38	48.19
20.	Jammu & Kashmir Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities under the Construction of Assets in lieu of those Destroyed in Floods in	90.96	74.70

		2014 under PM Development Package for J&K		
21.	Jammu & Kashmir Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist facilities at Mantalai-Sudhmahadev- Patnitop	97.82	48.91
22.	Jammu & Kashmir Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Anantnag-Kishtwar- Pahalgam – Daksum – RanjitSagar Dam	87.44	63.71
23.	Jammu & Kashmir Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Gulmarg-Baramulla-Kupwara-Leh	96.93	45.51
24.	Uttar Pradesh Buddhist Circuit	Development of Sravasti, Kushinagar, &Kapilwastu	99.97	72.56
25.	Uttar Pradesh Ramayana Circuit	Development of Chitrakoot and Shringverpur	69.45	55.56
26.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands Coastal Circuit	Development of Long Island-Ross Smith Island- Neil Island-Havelock Island- Baratang Island-Port Blair	42.19	8.44
27.	Tamil Nadu Coastal Circuit	Development of (Chennai-Mamamallapuram – Rameshwaram – Manpadu – Kanyakumari)	74.58	53.42
28.	Uttar Pradesh Spiritual Circuit	Development of Shahjahanpur-Basti- Ahar-Aligarh-Kasgunj-Sarosi-Pratapgarh-Unnao-Kaushambi- Mirzapur-Gorakpur-Kairana- DoamrFiyagunj-Bagpat-Barabanki- Azamgarh	68.39	54.71
29.	Uttar Pradesh Spiritual Circuit	Development of Bijnor- Meerut-Kanpur- Kanpur Dehat- Banda-Ghazipur- Salempur- Ghosi-Balia- Ambedkar Nagar-Aligarh- Fatehpur- Deoria-Mahoba- Sonbhadra- Chandauli-Mishrikh- Bhadohi	63.77	50.33
30.	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Kalinjar Fort (Banda)- MarharDham	34.82	18.76

	Heritage Circuit	(SantKabir Nagar)- ChauriChaura, Shaheed Sthal (Fatehpur)- MavaharSthal (Ghosi)- Shaheed Smarak (Meerut)		
31.	Bihar Buddhist Circuit	Development of Buddhist circuit- Construction of Convention Centre at Bodhgaya	98.73	48.69
32.	Assam Heritage Circuit	Development of Tezpur – Majuli – Sibsagar	98.35	45.29
33.	Himachal Pradesh Himalayan Circuit	Integrated Development of Himalayan Circuit in Himachal Pradesh	86.85	19.95
34.	Mizoram Eco Circuit	Development of Eco-Adventure Circuit Aizawl -Rawpuichhip – Khawhphawp – Lengpui – Durtlang – Chatlang-Sakawrhमितuitlang - Muthee – Beratlawng -Tuirial Airfield – Hmuifang	99.07	49.53
35.	Rajasthan Spiritual Circuit	Development of Churu (SalasarBalaji)- Jaipur (Shri SamodeBalaji, GhatkeBalaji, BandhekeBalaji)- Alwar (PandupoleHanumanji, Bharathari)- Viratnagar (Bijak, Jainnasiya, Ambika Temple)- Bharatpur (Kaman Region)- Dholpur (Muchkund) – MehandipurBalaji- Chittorgarh (Sanwaliyaji)	93.90	68.24
36.	Gujarat Heritage Circuit	Development of Vadnagar- Modhera and Patan	98.61	79.85
Total of 2016-17			3001.49	1970.44
Year 2017-18				
37.	Bihar Rural Circuit	Development of Gandhi Circuit: Bhitiharwa- Chandrahia- Turkaulia	44.65	21.24
38.	Goa Coastal Circuit	Development of Coastal Circuit II: Rua De Orum Creek - Don Paula -Colva - Benaulim	99.35	49.68
39.	Gujarat	Development of Junagadh-	29.28	12.89

	Buddhist circuit	GirSomnath- Bharuch-Kutch-Bhavnagar- Rajkot- Mehsana		
40.	Puducherry Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit in Puducherry	66.35	33.17
41.	Puducherry Spiritual Circuit	Development of Puducherry – Thirukanch- Karaikal- Yanam	40.68	30.94
42.	Rajasthan Heritage Circuit	Development of Rajsamand (Kumbhalgarh Fort)- Jaipur (Nahargarh Fort)- Alwar (BalaQuila)- SawaiMadhopur (Ranthambore Fort and Khandar Fort)- Jhalawar (Gagron Fort)- Chittorgarh (Chittorgarh Fort) Jaisalmer (JaisalmerFort) Hanumangarh (Kalibangan, Bhatner Fort and Gogamedi)- Jalore (Jalore Fort)- Udaipur (Pratap Gaurav Kendra)- Dholpur (Bagh-i- Nilofar and PuraniChawni)- Nagaur(Meera Bai Smarak)	90.92	49.80
43.	Telangana Heritage Circuit	Development of Heritage Circuit: QutubShahi Heritage Park- Paigah Tombs- Hayat Bakshi Mosque- Raymond's Tomb	99.42	49.71
44.	Bihar Spiritual Circuit	Development of Mandar Hill &Ang Pradesh	53.49	24.28
45.	Madhya Pradesh Eco Circuit	Development of Gandhisagar Dam- Mandleshwar Dam- Omkareshwar Dam- Indira Sagar Dam- Tawa Dam- Bargi Dam- BhedaGhat- Bansagar Dam- Ken River	99.62	79.70
46.	Uttar Pradesh Ramayana Circuit	Development of Ayodhya	133.31	99.21
47.	Andhra Pradesh Buddhist Circuit	Development of: Shalihundam- Thotlakonda- Bavikonda- Bojjanakonda- Amravati- Anupu	52.34	26.17
Total of 2017-18			809.41	476.79

Year 2018-19				
48.	Maharashtra Spiritual Circuit	Development of Waki- Adasa-Dhapewada- Paradsingha-Chota Taj Bagh- Telankhandi-Girad	54.01	0.00
49.	Development of Wayside Amenities (Sub-Scheme)	Development of Wayside Amenities in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar at Varanasi-Gaya; Lucknow-Ayodhya- Lucknow; Gorakhpur-Kushinagar; Kushinagar-Gaya- Kushinaga in collaboration with MoRTH	17.93	5.38
50.	Uttar Pradesh Spiritual Circuit	Development of Jewar-Dadri-Sikandrabad-Noida-Khurja-Banda	14.52	0.00
51.	Jharkhand Eco Circuit	Development of Dalma-Chandil- Getalsud- Betla national park- Mirchaiya-Netarhat	52.72	0.00
52.	Tripura North East circuit	Development of SurmaCherra-Unakoti- Jampui Hills-Gunabati-Bhunaneshwari-Matabari- Neermahal-Boxanagar- Chottakhola- Pilak-Avangchaarra	65.00	0.00
53.	Punjab Heritage Circuit	Development of Anandpur Sahib – Fatehgarh Sahib – Chamkaur Sahib – Ferozpur – Amritsar – Khatkar Kalan – Kalanour - Patiala	99.95	0.00
54.	Kerala Rural Circuit	Development of Malanad Malabar Cruise Tourism Project	80.37	0.00
55.	Kerala Spiritual Circuit	Development SivagiriSree Narayana Guru Ashram-Arruvipuram-KunnumparaSreeSubrahmania-ChembazhanthiSree Narayana Gurukulam	69.47	0.00
56.	Kerala Spiritual Circuit	Development of Kasaragod, Wayanad, Kannur, Kozhikode, Palakkad, Mallapuram, Thrichur, Ernakulam, Idukki, Kottayam, Allaphuza, Pathananamithitta, Kollam,	85.23	0.00

		Trivandrum		
57.	Meghalaya North East Circuit	Development of West Khasi Hills (Nongkhlaw- KremTiro - Khudoi&Kohmang Falls – Khri River- Mawthadraishan, Shillong), Jaintia Hills (Krang Suri Falls- Shyrmang- looksi), Garo Hills (Nokrek Reserve, KattaBeel, Siju Caves)	84.97	0.00
58.	Uttar Pradesh Spiritual Circuit	Development of Gorakhnath Temple(Gorakhpur), Devipattan Temple (Balrampur) and Vatvashni Temple (Domariyagunj)	21.16	0.00
		Total of 2018-19	645.33	5.38
		GRAND TOTAL	4456.23	2452.61

II. PRASHAD Scheme

(Rs. in crore)

Sl. No.	State	Name of the Project	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released
Year 2016-17				
1.	Gujarat	Development of Dwarka	26.23	6.85
2.	Gujarat	Pilgrimage amenities at Somnath	37.44	29.95
3.	Jammu & Kashmir	Development at Hazratbal,	42.02	25.45
4.	Kerala	Development at Guruvayur Temple	46.14	36.91
5.	Tamilnadu	Development of Kanchipuram	16.48	13.18
6.	Tamilnadu	Development of Vellankani	5.60	4.48
7.	West Bengal	Development of Belur	30.03	23.39
		Total of 2016-17	203.94	140.21
Year 2017-18				
8	Madhya Pradesh	Development of Omkareshwar	40.67	28.33
9	Uttar Pradesh	Cruise Tourism in River Ganga, Varanasi	10.72	5.14
10	Maharashtra	Development of Trimbakeshwar	37.81	8.49
11	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Varanasi Under Prashad Scheme - II	44.60	18.46
12	Andhra Pradesh	Development of Srisailam Temple in Andhra Pradesh under PRASHAD scheme	47.45	37.96

		Total of 2017-18	181.25	98.38
Year 2018-19				
13	Uttarakhand	Development of Infrastructure for Pilgrimage Facilitation in Badrinath Ji Dham (Uttarakhand)	39.24	11.77
14	Gujarat	Development of Promenade at Somnath,	44.59	23.49
15	Uttar Pradesh	Development of Govardhan, Mathura	39.74	0.0
16	Jharkhand	Development of BaidyanathjiDham, Deoghar	39.13	11.58
17	Nagaland	Development of Pilgrimage Facilities in Nagaland	25.26	7.53
		Total of 2018-19	187.96	54.37
		Total	573.15	292.96

III. ASSISTANCE TO CENTRAL AGENCIES

(Rs. in crore)

Sl. No.	State/UT	Name of Projects	Central Agency	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released
Year 2016-17					
1.	Kerala	Development of a Walkway/Promenade on Willingdon Island, Cochin, Kerala	Cochin Port Trust	9.01	7.20
2.	Kerala	Central Financial Assistance for upgrading of Births & Backup area of Ernakulam Wharf	Cochin Port Trust	21.41	17.13
3.	Maharashtra	Central Financial Assistance to Mumbai Port Trust for Development of KanhojiAngre Lighthouse as a tourist Destination	Mumbai Port trust	15.00	15.00
4.	Kerala	Project for Upgradation of Golf Course at SAI Trivandrum Golf Club by the Sports Authority of India	Sports Authority of India	24.65	12.32

5.	Telangana	Joint Development of Hyderabad Railway Station	M/o Railways	4.41	3.52
6.	Maharashtra	Joint Development of Nanded Railway Station	M/o Railways	5.18	2.59
7.	Andhra Pradesh	Joint Development of Tirupati Railway Station	M/o Railways	5.75	2.87
8.	Karnataka	Joint Development of Hospet Railway station	M/o Railways	5.41	2.70
9.	Odisha	Joint Development of Puri Railway Station	M/o Railways	6.15	6.14
Total of 2016-17				96.97	69.47
Year 2017-18					
10.	Uttar Pradesh	<p>Illumination of three monuments in Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh:-</p> <p>1. DashashwamedhGhat to DarbangaGhat (stretch of 300 m)</p> <p>2. TulsiManasMandir</p> <p>3. Sarnath Museum</p>	CPWD	2.94	2.35
11.	Punjab	Project for Infrastructural Development at JCP Attari	BSF	13.12	10.30
12.	Haryana	Sound and Light Show at Yadavindra Gardens, Pinjore	ITDC	6.00	3.00
13.	Andhra Pradesh	Sound and Light Show at Puttaparthi, Andhra Pradesh	ITDC	7.09	3.54
14.	Delhi	Sound and Light Show at Red Fort, Delhi	ITDC	13.70	6.85

15.	Maharashtra	Up-gradation/modernization to International Cruise terminal at Indira Dock, Mumbai.	Mumbai Port Trust	12.50	12.50
16.	Tamil Nadu	Joint Development of Rameshwaram Railway Station	M/o Railways	4.70	2.35
17.	Maharashtra	Joint Development of Aurangabad Railway Station	M/o Railways	5.71	2.85
18.	West Bengal	Joint Development of Rampurhat Railway Station	M/o Railways	3.48	1.74
19.	West Bengal	Joint Development of Tarakeshwar Railway Station	M/o Railways	3.86	1.93
20.	Goa	Development of 3 Railway Station in Konkan region a. Madgaon Railway Station b. Thivim Railway Station c. Karmali Railway Station	M/o Railways	24.00	12.50
Total of 2017-18				97.1	59.91
Year 2018-19					
21.	Goa	Improvement of immigration facility and deepening of existing cruise berth at Mormougao	Mormugo Port trust	13.16	6.58
22.	Kerala	Developing infrastructure at Cochin Port Cruise Terminal.	Cochin Port Trust	1.21	0.60
23.	Kerala	Creation of additional tourism facilities at the Cochin Port Trust Walkway	Cochin Port Trust	4.66	2.33

24.	Andhra Pradesh	Construction of Cruise-cum-Coastal Cargo Terminal at Channel berth area in Outer Harbour of Visakhapatnam Port	Visakhapatnam Port Trust	38.50	19.25
25.	Punjab	Restoration/ Renovation of JallianwalaBagh Memorial at Amritsar, Punjab	ASI/ NBCC	19.29	8.38
26.	Tamil Nadu	Joint Development of Madurai Railway Station	M/o Railways	4.48	2.24
27.	Assam	Joint Development of Kamakhya Railway Station	M/o Railways	4.96	3.97
28.	Assam	Joint Development of Guwahati Railway Station	M/o Railways	4.99	3.98
Total of 2018-19				91.25	47.33
Year 2019-20					
29.	West Bengal	Joint Development of New Jalpaiguri Railway Station	M/o Railways	4.55	2.27
Total of 2019-20				4.55	2.27
Grand Total				289.87	178.98
