GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TOURISM

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †3537 ANSWERED ON 20.12.2021

PROJECTS FORMULATED FOR SINGHESHWAR STHAN UNDER SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME

†3537. SHRI DILESHWAR KAMAIT:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that 'Singheshwar Sthan' is a famous tourist and religious place situated in Madhepura district of Bihar:
- (b) whether any project has been formulated for the above 'Singheshwar Sthan' under Swadesh Darshan Scheme;
- (c) if so, details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G.KISHAN REDDY)

(a) to (d): Yes sir, Singheshwar Sthan situated in Madhepura district of Bihar is a tourist and religious place.

Development of Tourism infrastructure is primarily the responsibility of the State Government. However, the Ministry of Tourism under its 'Swadesh Darshan' scheme provides financial assistance to the State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations / Central Agencies for development of tourism infrastructure. The projects under the schemes are identified for development in consultation with the State Governments/(UTs) and are sanctioned subject to availability of funds, submission of suitable detailed project reports, adherence to scheme guidelines, utilization of funds released earlier etc. Singheshwar Sthan is not included in the list of sanctioned projects under Swadesh Darshan scheme.
