

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †3558
ANSWERED ON 20.12.2021**

DEVELOPMENT OF TOURIST CIRCUITS IN BUNDELKHAND

†3558. SHRI KUNWAR PUSHPENDRA SINGH CHANDEL:

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to develop centres of tourist interest and link them with the revived major ponds/lakes/dams in Bundelkhand under the Jal Jeevan Mission;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether the Government proposes to develop tourist circuits by interlinking these sites; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) to (d): Development of tourism is primarily responsibility of the State Government.

The Ministry of Tourism under its scheme of 'Swadesh Darshan' provides financial assistance to the State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations for development of tourism infrastructure in the country. The Ministry has already sanctioned 76 projects under 13 thematic circuits in the country including Bundelkhand Region. The sanctioned projects include components pertaining to tourist infrastructure at lakes, dams etc. However there is no proposal to link the same with Jal Jeevan Mission.

The Ministry of Tourism is not sanctioning any new projects under Swadesh Darshan scheme. The details of the projects sanctioned under 'Swadesh Darshan' scheme is annexed.

ANNEXURE

**STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED
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DETAILS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED UNDER THE SWADESH DARSHAN SCHEME.

| (₹. in crore) | | | | | | | |
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| S . N o. | State / UT | Circuit | Sanction Year | Name of the Project | Amt. Sanctioned | Amt. Released | Amt. Utilized |
| 1. | Andaman & Nicobar Islands | Coastal Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Long Island- Ross Smith Island- Neil Island- Havelock Island- Baratang Island-Port Blair | 27.57 | 13.46 | 8.45 |
| 2. | Andhra Pradesh | Coastal Circuit | 2014-15 | Development of Kakinada - Hope Island - Coringa Wildlife Sanctuary - Passarlapudi - Aduru - S Yanam - Kotipally | 67.84 | 67.84 | 67.84 |
| 3. | Andhra Pradesh | Coastal Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Nellore - Pulikat Lake - Ubblamadugu Water Falls - Nelapattu- Kothakoduru- Mypadu - Ramateertham - Iskapalli | 49.55 | 47.76 | 50.96 |

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| 4. | Andhra Pradesh | Buddhist Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of: Shalihundam- Thotlakonda- Bavikonda- Bojjanakonda- Amravati- Anupu | 24.14 | 26.17 | 19.03 |
| 5. | Arunachal Pradesh | North-East Circuit | 2014-15 | Development of Mega Circuit at Bhalukpong- Bomdila and Tawang | 49.77 | 39.81 | 35.61 |
| 6. | Arunachal Pradesh | North East Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Nafra- Seppa- Pappu, Pasa, Pakke Valleys- Sangdupota- New Sagalee- Ziro- Yomcha | 96.72 | 84.24 | 74.90 |
| 7. | Assam | Wildlife Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Manas- Probitora- Nameri- Kaziranga- Dibr- Saikhowa | 94.68 | 86.51 | 84.90 |
| 8. | Assam | Heritage Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Tezpur - Majuli - Sibsagar | 90.98 | 72.78 | 59.47 |
| 9. | Bihar | Tirthankar Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Vaishali- Arrah- Masad- Patna- Rajgir- Pawapuri- Champapuri | 37.19 | 26.19 | 24.43 |
| 10 | Bihar | Spiritual Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Kanwaria Route: Sultanganj | 44.75 | 42.52 | 39.76 |

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| | | | | Dharmshala-Deoghar | | | |
| 11 | Bihar | Buddhist Circuit | 2016-17 | Development Buddhist circuit Construction Convention Centre Bodhgaya | 98.73 | 93.22 | 78.34 |
| 12 | Bihar | Rural Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Gandhi Circuit: Bhitiharwa-Chandrahia-Turkaulia | 44.65 | 35.72 | 22.33 |
| 13 | Bihar | Spiritual Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Mandar Hill & Ang Pradesh | 47.53 | 38.02 | 33.35 |
| 14 | Chhattisgarh | Tribal Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Jashpur-Kunkuri-Mainpat-Ambikapur-Maheshpur - Ratanpur-Kurdar-Sarodadadar-Gangrel-Kondagaon-NathiyaNawagaon-Jagdalpur-Chitrakoot-Tirthgarh | 96.10 | 84.81 | 79.15 |
| 15 | Goa | Coastal Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Sinquerim-Baga, Anjuna-Vagator, Morjim-Keri, Aguada Fort and Aguada Jail | 97.65 | 92.76 | 92.76 |
| 16 | Goa | Coastal Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Coastal Circuit II: Rua | 99.35 | 94.38 | 79.47 |

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| | | | | De Orum Creek - Don Paula -Colva - Benaulim | | | |
| 17 | Gujarat | Heritage Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Ahmedabad- Rajkot- Porbandar – Bardoli- Dandi | 59.17 | 56.21 | 52.19 |
| 18 | Gujarat | Heritage Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Vadnagar- Modhera | 91.84 | 87.25 | 82.35 |
| 19 | Gujarat | Buddhist Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Junagadh- Gir Somnath- Bharuch- Kutch- Bhavnagar- Rajkot- Mehsana | 28.67 | 22.28 | 18.68 |
| 20 | Haryana | Krishna Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Tourism Infrastructure s at places related to Mahabharata in Kurukshetra | 97.35 | 77.88 | 69.53 |
| 21 | Himachal Pradesh | Himalayan Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Himalayan Circuit in Himachal Pradesh | 80.69 | 64.55 | 46.74 |
| 22 | Jammu & Kashmir | Himalayan Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Jammu- Srinagar- Pehalgam- Bhagwati | 77.33 | 60.47 | 46.49 |

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| | | | | Nagar- Anantnag- Salamabad Uri-Kargil-Leh | | | |
| 23 | Jammu & Kashmir | Himalayan Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities at Jammu-Rajouri-Shopian-Pulwama. | 84.46 | 67.35 | 49.64 |
| 24 | Jammu & Kashmir | Himalayan Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Tourist Facilities - Construction of Assets in lieu of those Destroyed in Floods in 2014 under PM Development Package | 90.43 | 74.7 | 58.81 |
| 25 | Jammu & Kashmir | Himalayan Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Tourist facilities at Mantalai and Sudhmahadev | 90.85 | 75.11 | 68.33 |
| 26 | Jammu & Kashmir | Himalayan Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Tourist facilities at Anantnag-Kishwar-Pahalgam-Daksum-Ranjit Sagar Dam | 87.44 | 69.95 | 51 |
| 27 | Jammu & Kashmir | Himalayan Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Tourist Facilities at Gulmarg- | 91.84 | 48.46 | 38.81 |

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| | | | | Baramulla- Kupwara- Kargil - Leh | | | |
| 28 | Jharkhand | Eco Circuit | 2018-19 | Development of Dalma- Chandil- Getalsud- Betla national park- Mirchaiya- Netarhat | 52.72 | 15.07 | 11.30 |
| 29 | Kerala | Eco Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Pathanamthitt a- Gavi- Vagamon- Thekkady | 76.55 | 61.24 | 63.93 |
| 30 | Kerala | Spiritual Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Sabarimala - Erumeli- Pampa- Sannidhanam | 99.99 | 20.00 | 19.70 |
| 31 | Kerala | Spiritual Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of SreePadmana bhaArnamula- Sabrimala | 84.51 | 73.77 | 58.76 |
| 32 | Kerala | Rural Circuit | 2018-19 | Development of Malanad Malabar Cruise Tourism Project | 80.37 | 23.77 | 0 |
| 33 | Kerala | Spiritual Circuit | 2018-19 | Development SivagiriSree Narayana Guru Ashram- Arruvipuram- Kunnumpara Sree Subrahmania- Chembazhant hi Sree Narayana | 69.47 | 1.61 | 0 |

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| 34 | Madhya Pradesh | Wildlife Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Wildlife Circuit at Panna- Mukundpur- Sanjay- Dubri- Bandhavgarh- Kanha- Mukki- Pench | 92.22 | 81.15 | 83.83 |
| 35 | Madhya Pradesh | Buddhist Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Sanchi- Satna-Rewa- Mandsaur- Dhar | 74.02 | 69.08 | 62.2 |
| 36 | Madhya Pradesh | Heritage circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Gwalior – Orchha – Khajuraho – Chanderi – Bhimbetka – Mandu | 89.82 | 85.33 | 84.24 |
| 37 | Madhya Pradesh | Eco Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Gandhisagar Dam- Mandleshwar Dam- Omkareshwar Dam- Indira Sagar Dam- Tawa Dam- Bargi Dam- Bheda Ghat- Bansagar Dam- Ken River | 94.61 | 79.7 | 73.09 |
| 38 | Maharashtra | Coastal Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Sindhudurg Coastal Circuit (Shiroda Beach, Sagareswar, Tarkarli, | 19.06 | 16.43 | 14.85 |

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| | | | | Vijaydurg (Beach & Creek), Devgad (Fort & Beach), Mitbhav, Tondavali, Mocehmad and Nivati Fort) | | | |
| 39 | Maharashtra | Spiritual Circuit | 2018-19 | Development of Waki-Adasa-Dhapewada-Paradsingha-Chota Taj Bagh-Telankhandi-Girad | 54.01 | 24 | 13.03 |
| 40 | Manipur | North-East Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Tourist Circuit in Manipur: Imphal-Khongjom | 72.23 | 61.32 | 61.25 |
| 41 | Manipur | Spiritual Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Shri Govindajee Temple, Shri Bijoy Govindajee Temple – Shri Gopinath Temple – Shri Bungshibodon Temple – Shri Kaina Temple | 53.8 | 43.04 | 42.91 |
| 42 | Meghalaya | North East Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Umium (Lake View), U Lum Sohpetbneng-Mawdiangdian g – Orchid Lake Resort | 99.13 | 92.91 | 88.99 |

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| 43 | Meghalaya | North East Circuit | 2018-19 | Development of West Khasi Hills (Nongkhlaw-KremTirot - Khudoi&Kohm ang Falls - Khri River-Mawthadraish an, Shillong), Jaintia Hills (Krang Suri Falls-Shyrmang-looks), Garo Hills (Nokrek Reserve, Katta Beel, Siju Caves) | 84.97 | 45.98 | 30.19 |
| 44 | Mizoram | North East Circuit | 2015-16 | Integrated Development of Thenzawl & South Zote, District Serchhip and Reiek. | 92.26 | 87.65 | 90.24 |
| 45 | Mizoram | Eco Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Eco-Adventure Circuit Aizawl -Rawpuichhip - Khawphphawp - Lengpui - Durtlang - Chatlang- Sakawrhmuittu aitlang - Muthee - Beratlawng - Tuirial Airfield - Hmuifang | 66.37 | 49.53 | 49.53 |
| 46 | Nagaland | Tribal Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Tribal Circuit Peren- | 97.36 | 87.62 | 77.52 |

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| | | | | Kohima-Wokha | | | |
| 47 | Nagaland | Tribal circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Mokokchung-Tuensang-Mon | 98.14 | 88.33 | 78.09 |
| 48 | Odisha | Coastal circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Gopalpur, Barkul, Satapada and Tampara | 70.82 | 56.65 | 51.78 |
| 49 | Puducherry | Coastal Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Dubrayapet – Arikamedu – Veerampattinam – Chunnambar - Nallavadu Narambai – Manapet-Kalapet – Puducherry – Yanam | 58.44 | 61.82 | 49.44 |
| 50 | Puducherry | Heritage Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Heritage Circuit in Puducherry | 54.91 | 43.93 | 33.17 |
| 51 | Puducherry | Spiritual Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Puducherry – Thirukanch-Karaikal-Yanam | 34.96 | 30.94 | 24.73 |
| 52 | Punjab | Heritage Circuit | 2018-19 | Development of Anandpur Sahib – Fatehgarh Sahib – Chamkaur Sahib – Ferozpur – Amritsar – Khatkar Kalan – Kalanour - Patiala | 91.55 | 41.45 | 17.89 |

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| 53 | Rajasthan | Desert Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Sambhar Lake Town and Other Destinations | 50.01 | 51.17 | 55.89 |
| 54 | Rajasthan | Krishna Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Govind Dev ji temple (Jaipur), Khatu Shyam Ji (Sikar) and Nathdwara (Rajsamand) | 75.80 | 60.64 | 64.8 |
| 55 | Rajasthan | Spiritual Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Churu (Salasar Balaji)- Jaipur (Shri Samode Balaji, Ghat ke Balaji, Bandheke Balaji)- Alwar (Pandupole Hanumanji, Bharathari)- Viratnagar (Bijak, Jainnasiya, Ambika Temple)- Bharatpur (Kaman Region)- Dholpur (Muchkund) - Mehandipur Balaji- Chittorgarh (Sanwaliyaji) | 93.9 | 68.24 | 57.15 |
| 56 | Rajasthan | Heritage Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Rajsamand (Kumbhalgarh | 72.49 | 50.94 | 43.19 |

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| | | | | Fort)- Jaipur (Nahargarh Fort)- Alwar (BalaQuila)- Sawai Madhopur (Ranthambore Fort and Khandar Fort)- Jhalawar (Gagron Fort)- Chittorgarh (Chittorgarh Fort) Jaisalmer (Jaisalmer Fort) Hanumangarh (Kalibangan, Bhatner Fort and Gogamedi)- Jalore (Jalore Fort)- Udaipur (Pratap Gaurav Kendra)- Dholpur (Bagh- i-Nilofar and PuraniChawni) – Nagaur(Meera Bai Smarak) | | | |
| 57 | Sikkim | North- East Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Tourist Circuit linking Rangpo (entry) – Rorathang- Aitar- Phadamchen- Nathang- Sherathang- Tsongmo- Gangtok- Phodong- | 98.05 | 92.77 | 92.55 |

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| | | | | Mangan- Lachung- Yumthang- Lachen- Thangu- Gurudongmer- Mangan- Gangtok- TuminLingee- Singtam (exit) | | | |
| 58 | Sikkim | North East Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Tourist Circuit Linking Singtam– Maka- Temi- BermoikTokel - Phongia- Namchi – Jorthang- Okharey- Sombaria- Daramdin- Jorethang- Melli (Exit) | 95.32 | 76.25 | 75.47 |
| 59 | Tamil Nadu | Coastal Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of (Chennai- Mamamallapu- ram – Rameshwara- m – Manpadu – Kanyakumari) | 73.13 | 68.6 | 63.37 |
| 60 | Telangana | Eco Circuit | 2015-16 | Integrated Development of Eco Tourism Circuit in Mahaboobnag- ar district | 91.62 | 87.04 | 77.45 |
| 61 | Telangana | Tribal Circuit | 2016-17 | Integrated Development of Mulugu- Laknavaram- Medavaram- | 79.87 | 75.88 | 68.9 |

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| | | | | Tadvai- Damaravi- Mallur- Bogatha Waterfalls | | | |
| 62 | Telangana | Heritage Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Heritage Circuit: Qutub Shahi Heritage Park- Paigah Tombs- Hayat Bakshi Mosque- Raymond's Tomb | 96.9 | 70.61 | 45.3 |
| 63 | Tripura | North East Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of North East Circuit: Agartala - Sipahijala - Melaghar - Udaipur - Amarpur- Tirthamukh- Mandirghat- Dumboor- NarikeiKunja- Gandachara- Ambassa | 82.85 | 68.58 | 62.42 |
| 64 | Tripura | North East Circuit | 2018-19 | Development of SurmaCherra- Unakoti- Jampui Hills- Gunabati- Bhunaneshwari- Matabari- Neermahal- Boxanagar- Chottakhola- Pilak- Avangchaarra | 65.00 | 10.1 | 0 |
| 65 | Uttar Pradesh | Buddhist Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Srawasti, | 99.97 | 72.56 | 68.6 |

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| | | | | Kushinagar, & Kapilwastu | | | |
| 66 | Uttar Pradesh | Ramayana Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Chitrakoot and Shringverpur | 69.45 | 64.09 | 53.68 |
| 67 | Uttar Pradesh | Spiritual Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Shahjahanpur- Basti- Ahar- Aligharh- Kasgunj- Sarosi- Pratapgarh- Unnao- Kaushambi- Mirzapur- Gorakpur- Kairana- DoamrFiyagun j- Bagpat- Barabanki- Azamgarh | 65.61 | 62.33 | 57.46 |
| 68 | Uttar Pradesh | piritual Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Bijnor- Meerut- Kanpur- Kanpur Dehat- Banda- Ghazipur- Salempur- Ghosi- Balia- Ambedkar Nagar- Aligarh- Fatehpur- Deoria- Mahoba- Sonbhadra- Chandauli- Mishrikh- Bhadohi | 67.51 | 64.14 | 52.07 |
| 69 | Uttar Pradesh | Heritage Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Kalinjar Fort (Banda)- | 33.97 | 26.54 | 24.78 |

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| | | | | MarharDham (SantKabir Nagar)- ChauriChaura, Shaheed Sthal (Fatehpur)- Mavahar Sthal (Ghosı)- Shaheed Smarak (Meerut) | | | |
| 70 | Uttar Pradesh | Ramayana Circuit | 2017-18 | Development of Ayodhya | 127.21 | 115.46 | 108.62 |
| 71 | Uttar Pradesh | Spiritual Circuit | 2018- 19 | Development of Jewar- Dadri- Sikandrabad- Noida-Khurja- Banda | 12.03 | 8.83 | 5.54 |
| 72 | Uttar Pradesh | Spiritual Circuit | 2018- 19 | Development of Gorakhnath Temple (Gorakhpur), Devipattan Temple (Balrampur) and Vatvashni Temple (Domariyagunj) | 15.76 | 12.61 | 9.93 |
| 73 | Uttarakhand | Eco Circuit | 2015-16 | Integrated Development of Eco- Tourism, Adventure Sports, Associated Tourism related Infrastructure for Development of Tehri Lake & Surroundings | 69.17 | 65.71 | 69.2 |

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| 74 | Uttarakhand | Heritage Circuit | 2016-17 | Development of Heritage Circuit in Kumaon Region – Katarmal – Jogeshwar-Baijnath-Devidhura | 76.32 | 67.62 | 63.47 |
| 75 | West Bengal | Coastal Circuit | 2015-16 | Development of Beach Circuit: Udaipur-Digha-Shankarpur-Tajpur-Mandarmani-Fraserganj-Bakkhlai-Henry Island | 85.39 | 68.31 | 62.67 |
| 76 | - | Wayside Amenities | 2018-19 | Development of Wayside Amenities in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar at Varanasi-Gaya; Lucknow-Ayodhya-Lucknow; Gorakhpur-Kushinagar; Kushinagar-Gaya-Kushinagar in collaboration with MoRTH | 17.93 | 12.29 | 11.05 |
| Total | | | | | 5524.82 | 4414.03 | 3907.54 |
