GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CULTURE

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3665 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.12.2021

FUNDS SPENT UNDER NCF SCHEME

3665. SHRI BHAGWANT MANN

Will the Minister of **CULTURE** be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantum of funds spent in the State of Punjab since the inception of the National Culture Fund (NCF) scheme; and
- (b) the quantum of funds allocated to various institutions/departments during the last three years and district-wise details of the allocated funds?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) & (b) National Culture Fund (NCF) is a Charitable Trust under Endowment, Act, 1890, focused on Conservation, Preservation and Restoration of Cultural Heritage (Tangible & Intangible) through Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) endowments or sponsorship. The Fund is open for endowments and sponsorship for heritage projects all over the country. No such sponsorship has been received for Punjab since inception. The list of projects completed under NCF in last three years is at Annexure.

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN PART (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3665 FOR REPLY ON 20.12.2021

FUNDS SPENT UNDER NCF

(Amount in Crore)

S. No.	Name	Sponsor	Cost As per MoU
1.	Renovation of Jaisalmer Fort, Rajasthan (SMP)	World Monuments Fund	0.38
2	Conservation, Development & Maintenance of Purana Qila, New Delhi	National Buildings Construction Corporation Ltd. (NBCC)	3.00
3	Refurbishment of ASI Site Museum of Swatantrata Sangram Sangrahalaya, Red Fort, Delhi	Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL)	0.40
4	Treasures of Indian Museum Series	Allahabad Museum	0.3
5	Conservation of National Monuments: Group of Monuments, 1. Mandu	National Thermal Power Corporation NTPC)	
	2. Lalitgiri/Dhauli		1.69 1.43
6	To preserve the cultural heritage of India	India Infrastructure Finance Company Ltd. (IIFCL)	3.73
7	Tourist Infrastructure facilities, Ashokan Pillar, Kolhua, Bihar	Indian Oil Foundation (IOF)	5.00
8	Tourist Infrastructure facilities, Kanheri Caves, Mumbai	Indian Oil Foundation (IOF)	6.50
9	Façade Illumination, Brihadeshwara Temple, Thanjavur	Indian Oil Foundation (IOF)	4.50
10	Tourist Infrastructure Facilities, Khajuraho Group of Temples, MP	Indian Oil Foundation (IOF)	40.00
11	Conservation and restoration of Sarnath Museum, Sarnath, U.P.	Sony India Ltd.	3.25
12	Conservation, restoration, maintenance and provision of visitor amenities at Shri Bhuleshwar Temple	Uttaradevi Charitable & Research Foundation	0.39