

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2903
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.3.2022

BASIC FACILITIES TO TOURISTS AT MONUMENTS

†2903. SHRI ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT:

Will the Minister of Culture be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide basic amenities like drinking water, toilets, parking, road connectivity and guides etc. to the tourists visiting monuments, historical temples and world heritage sites to promote tourism;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, monument-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has taken/proposed to take any steps to beautify the pilgrimages sites particularly in Naimisharanya and the Dargah of Madarshah located in Misrikh Parliamentary Constituency of Uttar Pradesh and to provide the above facilities there; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise/UT-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF CULTURE, TOURISM AND
DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

- (a) Tourist facilities are provided as per the requirement and feasibility at the different & monuments / sites of national importance which also includes World Heritage properties in the country. Further, amenities like drinking water, toilets and facilities like benches, pathways, wheel chairs, ramps, signages, Braille signages, etc. are provided at ticketed and World Heritage Monuments. Providing such facilities and upgrading them is a continuous phenomenon. Monument-wise details of facilities is available at <https://asi.nic.in-facilities-at-monument>
- (b) No proposal has been received from the State Government under pilgrimage & Rejuvenation and Spiritual Augmentation Drive (PRASHAD) Scheme of Ministry of Tourism.
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