

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE**

LOK SABHA

**STARRED QUESTION NO. *101
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2022**

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF HERITAGE

***101. SHRIMATI RITI PATHAK
MS. LOCKET CHATTERJEE**

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has established the Indian Institute of Heritage;
- (b) if so, the works and courses offered by the said Institute;
- (c) whether there is a shortage of human resources in the area of Museology in the country;
and
- (d) if so, the steps taken/being taken by the Government at the senior secondary level curriculum to start introductory courses in Museology?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the table of the House

STATEMENT REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.101 FOR REPLY ON 25.07.2022

- (a) & (b): Government has decided to set up 'Indian Institute of Heritage' (IIH) as a Deemed to be University as per UGC (Institutions Deemed to be Universities) Regulations, 2019 at Noida, Gautam Budha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh with the purpose of providing higher education and research in the fields related to Indian heritage and its conservation. IIH will impart post graduate and research degree in History of Arts, Conservation, Museology, Archival Studies, Archaeology, Preventive Conservation, among others
- (c) & (d): Yes Sir, The Indian Institute of Heritage is being established to meet the human resources requirement in the entire Cultural Sector including Museology. New Education Policy endeavours to incorporate culture as an integral part of educational curriculum. This shall promote the study of Museology at higher level.

