# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TOURISM

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1273 ANSWERED ON 25.07.2022

## **MOUS SIGNED UNDER ADOPT A HERITAGE SCHEME**

## **1273. SHRIMATI POONAMBEN MAADAM:**

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

- (a) the number and details of MoUs signed under the 'Adopt a Heritage: Apni Dharohar, Apni Pehchaan' scheme, till date;
- (b) the details of activities which are undertaken by different organisations so far under this scheme; and
- (c) the status of their implementation?

#### **ANSWER**

#### THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) to (c): Under Adopt a Heritage: Apni Dharohar, Apni Pehchaan" project of Ministry of Tourism, 29 Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) have been awarded to 15 Monument Mitras for twenty-seven (27) sites and two (2) Technological interventions across India. The list of MoUs signed under Adopt a Heritage Project of Ministry of Tourism along with the proposed amenities and status of implementation is annexed as Annexure.

In a recent decision the MoU's of Adopt a Heritage scheme pertaining to the ASI monuments, numbering 23 have been transferred to Ministry of Culture and ASI for taking them forward.

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STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1273 ANSWERED ON 25.07.2022 REGARDING MOUS SIGNED UNDER ADOPT A HERITAGE SCHEME.

SI. No.	Name of Site	Monument Mitra	Proposed Amenities	Status
1 1	Site Red Fort, New Delhi	Mitra Dalmia Bharat Ltd.	<ul> <li>Street Furniture- Benches and Dustbins</li> <li>Upgradation and O&amp;M of Toilets</li> <li>O&amp;M of Drinking Water Kiosk</li> <li>Lighting (Street lighting, pathway lighting, bollards)</li> <li>Services- Plumbing, drainage, electrical etc.)</li> <li>Housekeeping (Cleaning, Garbage disposal etc.)</li> <li>Shop signage</li> <li>Landscape restoration</li> <li>Façade lighting and structure illumination</li> <li>Visitor Facility Centre (inclusive of interpretation centre, AR/VR, 360-degree room, basic souvenir shop, snack counter)</li> <li>3D-Projection Mapping (Exterior) and Sound and Light Show (Immersive Theatrical Experience)</li> <li>App for Augmented Reality interpretation (Inside VC)-</li> <li>Virtual Reality based monument interpretation (360-degree Experience) (Inside VC)</li> <li>Signage (tactile map and lettering, identification,</li> </ul>	on of works is under progress. Operation & Maintenance

2	Gandikota	Dalmia	descriptive and directional)  Paving (including tactile)  Night Trail (lighting, setups, signage, equipment etc.)  Temporary Exhibition Panel  Art installations for celebration of 75th Independence Day  Battery Operated Vehicles and charging stations for E-vehicles  Exhibitions in cells under Asad Burj  Fencing with sliding doors  Cleaning and upkeep of	-
	Fort, Andhra	Bharat Ltd	monuments including installation of aesthetic	
	Pradesh		Dustbins (O&M)	progress.
			• Installation of seating	Operation & Maintenanc
			area (Benches), • Informational and	
			directional Signages	ongoing at
			(Installation and O&M)	the site.
			• Development of monument approach and	
			sense of entry (Pathways)	
			• Approach cleanliness	
			(O&M) • Construction of new of	
			Public Convenience	
			(Toilets) (Construction and O&M)	
			• Provision of Drinking	
			Water Facilities	
			(Installation and O&M) • Landscaping	
			(Enhancement and O&M)	
			• CCTV Surveillance	
			System (Installation and O&M),	

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			Wi-Fi hotspot for tourists	
			General site Illumination     Setate 8 Security (0.8 M)	
	Outub Minan	W = 4 = =	Safety & Security (O&M)	114-4
3	Qutub Minar,		• Wi-Fi	Implementati
	New Delhi	Online Pvt.	• Illumination (O&M)	on of works
		Ltd.	• Signages (O&M)	completed.
			• Ease of Access -	Operation
			Provision of Ramps and	&Maintenanc
			Wheelchairs	e works
			<ul> <li>Clean drinking water- O&amp;M</li> </ul>	are ongoing at site.
			App based Audio Guide	
			for Qutb Minar – English	
			& Hindi Language	
			• Installation of Digi Kiosk	
			and Ticketing Kiosk	
4	Development	Resbird	1. Dholavira, Gujarat	Multi-Lingual
	of Multi-	Technologies	2. Humayun's Tomb, Delhi	Audio Guide
	Lingual	Pvt.	3. Red Fort, Delhi	for all the
	Audio Guide	Ltd. (Now	4. Purana Quila Delhi	sites has
	for 8 ASI	Bird	5. FatehpurSikri, Agra	been
	Sites	Heritage	6. Taj Mahal, Agra	completed in
		Foundation)	7. Mahabalipuram, Tamil	four
			Nadu	languages
			8. Khajuraho, Madhya	(Hindi,
			Pradesh	English,
				Japanese
				and Korean)
				and is
				available for
E	Davelan 4	Dook:	4 American Palenthan	download.
5	Development of Multi-	Resbird Technologies	1. Amer Fort, Rajasthan	Multi-Lingual Audio Guide
		Pvt. Ltd.	• /	for Amer Fort
	Lingual Audio Guide	(Now Bird	3. Chandni Chowk, Delhi	, Mahabodhi
	for 4 Iconic	Heritage	4.Somnath, Gujarat	Temple and
	Sites	Foundation)		Somnath has
	Siles	roundation)		been
				completed in
				four
				languages
				(Hindi,
				English,
				Japanese
				-apanese

6	Tomb of Abdur Ra him Khan – I – Khana, New Delhi	Interglobe Foundation	Toilet O&M Drinking WaterO&M Illumination O&M Accessibility Features and maintenance Signage O&M (Interpretation Area) Maintenance of cleanliness and dustbins at the site Provision of Wi-Fi Facilities & O&M CCTV Installation	and Korean) and is available for download. Implementati on of works is under progress. Operation & Maintenance works are ongoing at the site.
7	Gol Gumbad, Delhi	Bird Heritage Foundation (Formerly Resbird Tec hnologies Pvt. Ltd.)	<ul> <li>Landscaping</li> <li>Illumination</li> <li>Dustbins</li> <li>Signage (Directional and Informational)</li> <li>Audio Guide</li> <li>Universal Accessibility (Braille Signage, Ramps, etc.)</li> <li>Up-gradation of Toilet facility</li> <li>Drinking Water Kiosk-(Development and O&amp;M)</li> <li>Up-gradation of Parking</li> <li>Benches(Street Furniture)</li> <li>Snack Counter</li> <li>Cultural Events</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works is under progress. Operation &Maintenanc e works are ongoing at the site.
8	Bara Lao ka Gumbad, Delhi	Bird Heritage Foundation (Formerly Resbird Technologies Pvt. Ltd.)	<ul> <li>O&amp;M of Utility Bills (electricity)</li> <li>Dustbins</li> <li>Development of Toilet facility</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works is under progress. Operation &Maintenanc e works are ongoing at the site.

			<ul> <li>Universal Accessibility (Ramps, Wheelchairs, etc.)</li> <li>Snack Counter (Food Kiosk)</li> <li>Interpretation Centre</li> <li>Website Design</li> <li>Audio Guide</li> <li>QR Codes, Publicity through social media platforms like Instagram and Facebook</li> <li>Security Guards</li> </ul>	
9	Gangotri Temple Area & Trail to Gaumukh, Uttarakhand	Operators Association	<ul> <li>Cultural Events</li> <li>Cleaning and upkeep of Trail to Gaumukh Two treks completed at beginning and end of trekking season in 2018</li> <li>Cleaning and Upkeep of the Gangotri Temple</li> <li>Installation of standardized information sign boards</li> <li>Afforestation drive at Chidbasa and Bhojbasa</li> <li>Setup of Tourist Rescue Centre</li> <li>O&amp;M of Tourist Rescue Centre</li> </ul>	for Cleaning and upkeep of Trail to Gaumukh ha ve been completed and Cleaning and Upkeep of the
10	Hampi & Ha zara Rama Temple, Karnataka	Yatra Online Pvt. Ltd.	<ul> <li>Centre</li> <li>Audio Guide</li> <li>Signages: Descriptive and directional</li> <li>Cleanliness: Waste Bins</li> <li>Wi-Fi</li> <li>Direction, Braille, Description of entire complex</li> <li>Info Kiosk</li> <li>QR code-based panel description of complex</li> <li>Ease of Access –Provision of Ramps &amp; Wheelchairs</li> <li>Clean drinking water-</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works not yet started.

	1		T	
			reality tour	
			Ambulance service	
			• Barrier free	
			monuments/accessibility	
			for all- Braille signages in	
			addition to existing	
			signages, signages for	
			public notice	
			board/cultural notice	
			board	
			• Point of Sale Terminal	
			(PoS) machines at the	
			Ticketing Counters	
			• Install Self-service	
			ticketing vending kiosk	
14	Jantar	Apeejay	• Cleanliness of the	Implementati
	Mantar,	Surrendra	monument	on of works
	Delhi	Park	• Up-gradation of clean	is under
		Hotels (P)	drinking water facilities	progress.
		Ltd.	• Wi-Fi	Operation
			• Illumination	&Maintenanc
			Audio Guide	e works are
			Entrance Up-gradation	ongoing at
			Pathway Lighting	the site.
15	Bekal Fort,	Drishti Life	• Signage (Entrance/Way	Implementati
.0	Kerala	saving Pvt.	finding/Facilities)	on of works
	Relaia	Ltd.	• Drinking water – Operation	
		Ltu.	& Maintenance	
				not yet
			• Maintenance & Operation	started.
			of the Toilets	
			• Waste Management &	
			Housekeeping (Garbage	
			bins with natural	
			materials)	
			• Illumination (with prior	
			approval from ASI)	
			• Paving of the Central	
			Arterial Road + other area	
			including tactile paving	
			• Ramps/pathways for the	
			differently abled	
			Audio Visual Tours (with	
			prior approval from ASI)	
			• Viewing Deck (with prior	
			- Alcaning Deck (Mitti bilot	

			approval from ASI)	
			• Fencing	
16	Aguada Fort, Goa	Drishti Life saving Pvt. Ltd.	Signage & Way finders Arrival Interpretation & Stop Point (no construction)  O&M of Drinking Water Station  O&M of Toilets  Waste Management – Dustbins Benches Development of viewpoints with temporary stands  Universal Accessibility – Development of Circulation Plan/Pathways, Ramps, Wheelchairs, etc.  Railings  Audio Guides and Digital Intervention (Augmented Reality (AR), Virtual Reality (VR) Stations and Animation) which do not require construction  Illumination and its O&M*  Restricted walks to Aquifer and Lighthouse Interpretation Center (Development & O&M) at location decided by ASI along with basic souvenir shop and snack counter (food trolley)  Sound & Light show Revival of Compost Plant	not yet
			(food trolley) • Sound & Light show	

17	Rani ki Vav,	Akshar	• Toilet	Implementati
	Patan,	Travels	Drinking Water Kiosk	on of works
	Gujarat	Pvt. Ltd.	• Signage (Direction and	is under
			Information)	progress.
			• Wi-Fi,	Operation
			Audio/ Digital Guide	&Maintenanc
			• Illumination (Light Poles	e works
			and Bollard Lights)	are ongoing
			• Dustbins	at the site.
			Benches	
			Basic Souvenir Shop	
			Universal Accessibility	
			including Wheelchairs	
			• Landscape and	
			renovation of Pathways	
			• Cleanliness of the	
			monument site	
			• O&M of all facilities as	
			developed by Monument	
			Mitra and ASI at site	
			Snack Counter	
			• Interpretation Centre	
			with Locker / Cloak Room	
			• Entry/ Parking	
			• Audio Visual Room, CCTV	
			Cameras, Metal	
			Detectors, Security Cabin	
			Museum (Construction	
			and Interior)	
			<ul> <li>Sound and Light Show</li> </ul>	
			• Up-gradation of	
			Compound Wall (Painting,	
			New Gate, etc.)	
			• Up-gradation of Existing	
			Ticket Counter	
			X-Ray Baggage Scanner	

18	Sun Temple, Modhera, Gujarat	Akshar Travels Pvt. Ltd.	<ul> <li>Toilet</li> <li>Drinking Water Kiosk</li> <li>Signage (Direction and Information)</li> <li>Wi-Fi</li> <li>Audio/ Digital Guide</li> <li>Illumination (Light Poles and Bollard Lights)</li> <li>Dustbins</li> <li>Benches</li> <li>Basic Souvenir Shop</li> <li>Universal Accessibility including Wheelchairs</li> </ul>	progress. Operation &Maintenanc
			<ul> <li>Landscape and renovation of Pathways</li> <li>Cleanliness of the monument site</li> <li>O&amp;M of all facilities as developed by Monument Mitra and ASI at site</li> <li>Snack Counter</li> <li>Interpretation Centre with Locker / Cloak Room</li> <li>Entry/ Parking</li> <li>Audio Visual Room, CCTV Cameras, Metal Detectors, Security Cabin</li> <li>Museum (Construction and Interior)</li> </ul>	
			<ul> <li>Sound and Light Show</li> <li>Up-gradation of Compound Wall (Painting, New Gate, etc.)</li> <li>Up-gradation of Existing Ticket Counter X-Ray Baggage Scanner</li> </ul>	
19	Champaner- Pavagadh A rchaeologic al Park, Gujarat	Akshar Travels Pvt. Ltd.	<ul> <li>Toilet,</li> <li>Drinking Water Kiosk</li> <li>Signage (Direction and Information)</li> <li>Wi-Fi, Audio/ Digital Guide</li> <li>Illumination (Light Poles and Bollard Lights)</li> <li>Dustbins, Benches</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works at the site not yet started.

			<ul> <li>Basic Souvenir Shop</li> <li>Universal Accessibility including Wheelchairs</li> <li>Landscape and renovation of Pathways</li> <li>Cleanliness of the monument site</li> <li>O&amp;M of all facilities as</li> </ul>	
			developed by Monument Mitra and ASI at site  Snack Counter Interpretation Centre with Locker / Cloak Room Entry/ Parking Audio Visual Room CCTV Cameras, Metal Detectors, Security Cabin Museum (Construction and Interior)	
			<ul> <li>Sound and Light Show</li> <li>Up-gradation of Compound Wall (Painting, New Gate, etc.)</li> <li>Golf Carts</li> </ul>	
20	Buddhist C aves, Upark ot, Junagad h,Gujarat	Akshar Travels Pvt. Ltd.	<ul> <li>Toilet,</li> <li>Drinking Water Kiosk</li> <li>Signage (Direction and Information)</li> <li>Wi-Fi</li> <li>Audio Guide</li> <li>Illumination (Light Poles and Bollard Lights)</li> <li>Dustbins,</li> <li>Benches</li> <li>Basic Souvenir Shop</li> <li>Universal Accessibility including Wheelchairs</li> <li>Landscape and renovation of Pathways</li> <li>Cleanliness of the monument site</li> <li>O&amp;M of all facilities as developed by Monument Mitra and ASI at site</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works at the site not yet stated.

21	Pattabhira	Evolve	<ul> <li>Snack Counter</li> <li>Interpretation Centre with Locker / Cloak Room</li> <li>Parking</li> <li>Audio Visual Room, CCTV Cameras, Metal Detectors Security Cabin</li> <li>Museum (Construction and Interior)</li> <li>Sound and Light Show</li> <li>Up-gradation of Compound Wall (Painting, New Gate, etc.)</li> <li>Up-gradation of Existing Ticket Counter</li> <li>Dustbins</li> </ul>	Implementati
	ma Temple, Hampi, Karnataka	Back (Orange County	• Illumination (Up- gradation, Beautification and O&M)	
		Resorts)	<ul><li>Landscaping</li><li>Pathways</li></ul>	started.
22	Lotus Mahal (Zen ana Enclos ure), Hampi , Karnataka	Evolve Back (Orange County Resorts)	<ul> <li>Dustbins</li> <li>Illumination and its O&amp;M</li> <li>O&amp;M of Toilets</li> <li>O&amp;M of Drinking Water Kiosk</li> <li>Universal Accessibility (Wheelchairs, stretch for differently abled)</li> <li>Landscaping and its</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works at the site not yet started.
			<ul> <li>O&amp;M</li> <li>Development of Pathways</li> <li>Up-gradation of Ticket Counter</li> </ul>	
23	Elephant St ables, Hampi, Karnataka	Evolve Back (Orange County Resorts)	<ul> <li>Dustbins</li> <li>Universal Accessibility (Wheelchairs, stretch for differently abled)</li> <li>Landscaping and its O&amp;M</li> <li>Development of Pathways</li> <li>Illumination and its O&amp;M</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works at the site not yet started.
24	Ugra Narshimaha	Hotel Malligi,	Signage (Directional and Informational)	Implementati on of works

	Ue	Ham::		Audia Guidaa	a4 4ba a:4a
	, Hampi,	Hampi	•	Audio Guides	at the site
	Karnataka		•	Wi-Fi	not yet
			•	Cleanliness of the site	started
			•	Universal Accessibility	
			•	Illumination and its O&M	
			•	Training to Local Guides	
			•	Security Guards	
			•	Development / Up-	
				gradation of Pathways	
25	Badavi Ling	Hotel	•	Signage (Directional and	Implementati
	a, Hampi,	Malligi,		Informational)	on of works
	Karnataka	Hampi	•	Audio Guides	at the site
			•	Wi-Fi	not yet
			•	Cleanliness of the site	started.
			•	Basic Souvenir Shop	
			•	Universal Accessibility	
			•	Illumination and its O&M	
			•	Training to Local Guides	
			•	Security Guards	
				Development / Up-	
				gradation of Pathways	
				Basic souvenir shop	
				(temporary structure)	
26	Krishna	Heritage	•	Dustbins (for both wet	Implementati
20	Temple,	Resorts,		and dry waste)	on of works
	(behind	Hampi		Cleanliness of site	at the site
	Baravalinga)	Пашрі		O&M of Toilet	not yet
			•	O&M of Drinking Water	_
	Hampi, Karnataka		•	Kiosk	Starteu.
	namataka				
			•	Landscaping	
			•	Basic Souvenir Shop	
			•	Signage	
			•	Illumination and its O&M	
			•	Benches	
			•	Universal Accessibility	
				(Palki, wheelchairs, etc.)	
			•	<b>Development</b> of	
				Pathways	
			•	Snack Counter	
			•	Training and education	
				to local guides (Skill	
				development and	
				employment generation)	
			•	Waste Management	

27	Mandore Fort, Rajasthan	Mehrangarh Museum Trust	System (Pickup and disposal)  Provision of emergency services (ambulance, first aid, fire engine station)  Safety and Security  Drinking Water Facilities  Accessibility  Informatory and Directional Signage  Wi-Fi  App Based Multi-Lingual Audio Guide  Illumination  Swachh Monument (Cleanliness of Monument including complete Polythene Ban)  Benches  Security  Movable Snack Counter (Only Packaged Food items)  Facilitation of night visits*  Advanced surveillance system  Digital interactive kiosk  Light & Sound show  Battery-operated vehicles  Advanced Tourist-flow management system	Implementati on of works at the site not yet started.
28	Dara Shikoh Library Building, Delhi	The Arts and Cultural Heritage Trust (TAACHT) & Museum & Arts Consult ancy (MAC)	<ul> <li>Cleanliness of building &amp; outdoor areas including provision of Garbage bins &amp; benches and its O&amp;M)</li> <li>Toilets O&amp;M</li> <li>Interpretative &amp;</li> </ul>	Implementati on of works at the site not yet started.

- Set-up Room for reserve collection of Antiquities/Artifacts and its O&M with security - Cafeteria (Outdoor café) - Souvenir shop, Brochures & Leaflets - Library and reading area - Art Installation, - Website design &its O&M - Cultural Hub (Space for lectures, dance performances and musical recitals)  29 Narayankoti Temple, Uttarakhand foundation  - Illumination (lamp posts) - Pathway Upgradation - Dustbins & Solid Waste Management - Toilet - Drinking water kiosk - Benches - Shoe Rack - Directional Signage - Upgrade Informational				<ul> <li>Landscaping &amp;its O&amp;M</li> <li>Ease of access/ Barrier free monuments/         Accessibility for all:         Differently abled toilets, ramps, wheelchair facility, braille signages)</li> <li>Setup of galleries including interactive &amp; experiential curation (Projections, photo booths, touch screen and walls etc.)</li> <li>Security &amp; Advanced Surveillance System (Like PTZ based CCTV Cameras)</li> </ul>	
Signage & Placement	29	Temple,	research	<ul> <li>Walls etc.)</li> <li>Security &amp; Advanced Surveillance System (Like PTZ based CCTV Cameras)</li> <li>Set-up Room for reserve collection of Antiquities/Artifacts and its O&amp;M with security</li> <li>Cafeteria (Outdoor café)</li> <li>Souvenir shop, Brochures &amp; Leaflets</li> <li>Library and reading area</li> <li>Art Installation,</li> <li>Website design &amp;its O&amp;M</li> <li>Cultural Hub (Space for lectures, dance performances and musical recitals)</li> <li>Illumination (lamp posts)</li> <li>Pathway Upgradation</li> <li>Dustbins &amp; Solid Waste Management</li> <li>Toilet</li> <li>Drinking water kiosk</li> <li>Benches</li> <li>Shoe Rack</li> <li>Directional Signage</li> <li>Upgrade Informational</li> </ul>	on of works at the site not yet

<ul> <li>First – Aid Centre</li> <li>Fencing (Upgradation and Painting)</li> <li>Entry Gate and Door</li> <li>Awareness and discussions with locals</li> <li>Security</li> <li>Barricading</li> </ul>
Security     Barricading     Bhramsarovar
Snack Counter     Souvenir Shop

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