

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.144
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22.07.2024
TAGORE CULTURAL COMPLEXES

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Will the Minister of CULTURE be please to state:

- (a) the details of Tagore Cultural Complexes presently functioning and proposed to be set up across the country, State-wise;
- (b) the proposals received from the States for setting up Tagore Cultural Complexes during the last five years, State-wise, especially from the State of Andhra Pradesh and whether the Government has considered to build more Tagore Cultural complexes during the next five years;
- (c) if so, the details regarding the places selected / shortlisted and funds allocated for the same, State-wise including Andhra Pradesh; and
- (d) whether the Government has considered setting up any Authority to monitor the functioning/setting up of Tagore Cultural Complexes across the country, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER FOR CULTURE AND TOURISM

(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

(a) Till date, a total of 26 project proposals have been approved under the Scheme of Financial Assistance for Tagore Cultural Complexes (TCC) across the country. Out of these 26 approved projects, 8 TCC projects are functioning. The state-wise details of these 26 TCC projects are placed at **Annexure-I**.

(b) & (c) Under the scheme of Financial Assistance for Construction of Tagore Cultural Complexes (TCC scheme), financial assistance is provided to restore / renovate / upgrade/ modernize/ expand the existing Rabindra Bhawans and also to create new cultural complexes in the States capitals and other cities where no such complexes exist. Only the complete project proposals received from applicants are considered by the Ministry and are placed before the Sub-Committee and National Appraisal Committee for technical evaluation and final recommendation respectively. It has been the endeavour of the Government to make continuous efforts to build more Tagore Cultural Complexes in the country. The state-wise details of proposals received from various states, including the State of Andhra Pradesh, during the past 5 years are annexed at **Annexure-II**.

(d) While no such proposal for setting up any authority is under consideration of the Government, the scheme guidelines provide for physical inspection of the approved project before release of 2nd /final installment of the approved grant.

ANNEXURE-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 144 FOR 22.07.2024.

SINo.	Name of the Project	State
1.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Raga, Arunachal Pradesh	Arunachal Pradesh
2.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Daporijo, Arunachal Pradesh.	
3.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Nago Puttu, Dree Ground, Ziro Division, Lower Subhansiri Distt., Arunachal Pradesh	
4.	Upgradation/ Renovation of Frank Thakurdass Auditorium, Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi	Delhi
5.	Construction of Abhinav Rangmanch, Jammu & Kashmir.	Jammu & Kashmir
6.	Construction of Tagore Hall, Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir.	
7.	Construction of new Tagore Cultural Complex at Allahalli, Karnataka.	Karnataka
8.	Renovation of Tagore Theatre, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala. (Functional)	Kerala
9.	Construction of new Tagore Cultural Complex at DC Kizhakemuri Foundation, Kottayam, Kerala , Kottayam, Distt-Idukki, Kerala.	
10.	Construction of Ravindra Cultural Complex, Khandwa, MP (Functional)	Madhya Pradesh
11.	Renovation of Rabindra Bhawan, Bhopal, MP (Functional)	
12.	Tagore Cultural Centre, Vidisha, Madhya Pradesh (Functional)	
13.	Construction of new Tagore Cultural Complex Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha (A Central University), Maharashtra.	Maharashtra
14.	Construction of Tagore Cultural Complex at Rilbong, Shillong, Meghalaya.	Meghalaya
15.	Keviru Multipurpose Cooperative Society, Kohima, Nagaland, Kohima, Nagaland.	Nagaland
16.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex AtAboi, Mon-Distt, Nagaland.	
17.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Dimapur, Nagaland	
18.	Construction of new Tagore Cultural Complex at Pondicherry	Pondicherry
19.	Renovation, Activation and Modernization of Ravindra Manch, Jaipur (Functional)	

20.	Construction of Rabindra Rangmanch at Bikaner, Rajasthan. (Functional)	Rajasthan
21.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Khetri, Rajasthan (Functional)	
22.	Rasika Ranjini Sabha, Mylapore, Chennai, Tamil Nadu (Functional)	Tamil Nadu
23.	Rastriya Kathak Sansthan, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh (Now renamed as Birju Maharaj Kathak Sansthan)	Uttar Pradesh
24.	Renovation & Repair of Rabindra Bhawan at Krishna Nagar, Nadia, West Bengal	West Bengal
25.	Setting up of Repair & Renovation of Rabindra Sadan, Berhampore, Murshidabad distt., West Bengal	
26.	Construction of new Tagore Cultural complex at Jadhavpur university, Kolkata, West Bengal	

ANNEXURE-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b)& (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 144 FOR 22.07.2024.

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	State	Recommended /Not Recommended	Approved Amount
1.	Construction of Tagore Cultural Complex at Tirupati, Sree Sainath Nagar, A.Rangampet, Tirupati-517102	Andhra Pradesh	Not Recommended	-
2.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Itanagar, Papumpare Dist. Arunachal Pradesh.	Arunachal Pradesh	Not Recommended	-
3.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Nago Puttu, Dree Ground, Ziro Division, Lower Subhansiri Distt., Arunachal Pradesh.		Recommended	₹10,80,00,000/-
4.	Construction of Tagore Cultural Complex at Leduwa Moring, Upper Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh.		Not Recommended	
5.	Construction of Tagore Cultural Complex at Dera Natung Govt. College, Itanagar, Papumpare Arunachal Pradesh		Not Recommended	
6.	Construction of Tagore Cultural Complex at Lemmi, PakkeKessang District, Arunachal Pradesh		Not Recommended	
7.	Upgradation of open-Air Theatre to a Tagore Cultural Complex at NZCC, Kalagram, Manimajra, Chandigarh.	Chandigarh	Recommended (The recommendation was cancelled due to non-submission of requisite documents)	-
8.	Upgradation/ Renovation of Frank Thakurdass Auditorium, Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi.	Delhi	Recommended	₹6,00,00,000/-

9.	New Tagore Cultural Complex Bullana, Ambala City, Haryana	Haryana	Not Recommended	-
10.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Kala Amb, Sirmour Distt., Himachal Pradesh.	Himachal Pradesh.	Not Recommended	-
11.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Deoghar, Jharkhand	Jharkhand	Not Recommended	-
12.	Tagore Cultural Complex at Sanchi University of Buddhist-Indic Studies, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh	Madhya Pradesh	Recommended	₹15,00,00,000/-
13.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at premises of SCZCC, Nagpur, Maharashtra.	Maharashtra	Recommended (The project authority withdrew itself from executing the project)	-
14.	Tagore Cultural Complex Building A & B, Ramakrishna Math, Pune, Maharashtra.		Provisionally Recommended	₹11,50,00,000/-
15.	Extension, Upgradation and Modernization of the existing Auditorium of the Kanglei Mime Theatre Repertory, Imphal, Manipur	Manipur	Provisionally Recommended (NAC revoked its provisional recommendation in its meeting held in 2024)	-
16.	Setting up of Tagore Cultural Complex at Yairipok, Top Chingtha, Imphal East, Manipur		Not Recommended	-
17.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Rilbong, Shillong, Meghalaya.	Meghalaya	Recommended	₹13,50,00,000/-
18.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Aizwal, Mizoram	Mizoram	Provisionally Recommended (The recommendation was withdrawn by the Ministry)	-
19.	Construction of Tagore Cultural Complex at Old		Not Recommended	-

	Darngawn, Khawzawl, Mizoram			
20.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Tlangsam, Champhai District, Mizoram.		Not Recommended	-
21.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Suruhoto, Zuneheboto Distt., Nagaland.	Nagaland	Not Recommended	-
22.	Construction of New Tagore Cultural Complex at Tesophenyu, Kohima Distt., Nagaland.		Not Recommended	-
23.	Construction of Tagore Cultural Complex at Mewar University, Gangrar, Chittorgarh, Rajasthan	Rajasthan	Not Recommended	-
24.	Construction of new Tagore Cultural Complex at Mylapore, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu	Recommended	₹5,96,43,040/-
